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Convention

*We feel
The Urge
To sing a bit
O' Conventions.*

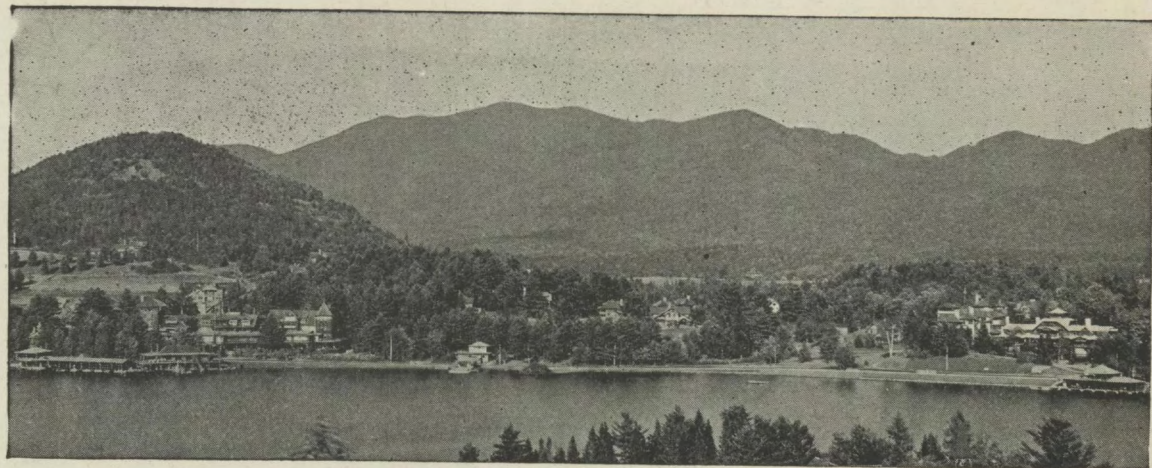
*You know:
There's Something
In getting together,
And Filing
One's brains
Against the rough
Edges of another's
That wears away
Some o' the Chinaman
In US—
And we loose
Our Ancestral chains
And skip ahead!
For Somehow,
Belonging
To a big Family
'S better 'n
Being
An only child.*

I thank you.

—Delta Delta Delta Trident.



MOHAWK TRAIL IN IROQUOI WOOD, NEAR GREAT PINE LANE



LAKESYD CLUBHOUSE

MIRROR LAKE

FOREST ALL-YEAR CLUBHOUSE

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OUR BADGE

Probably few wearers of the Theta kite, beholding their badge in all its finished beauty, have ever stopped to realize the many varied processes through which it has passed. To give you this information the writer made the journey to Attleboro, Massachusetts, and visited the factory of L. G. Balfour Company, official jeweler of Kappa Alpha Theta. Mr. Balfour greeted your representative and offered his personal assistance, as well as providing a competent guide and extending the freedom of the plant.

It may be interesting to know that the principal material for the pin, the gold, is obtained direct from a bank, insuring the highest standard of purity. The small gold bricks are melted and alloyed with certain portions of copper and silver, being thoroughly compounded so that the various metals will be evenly diffused. The seething molten mass, fuming and spitting, gives no suggestion of its valuable ingredients.

The metal is poured into forms and afterwards rolled into strips about two inches wide and an eighth of an inch thick. For certain purposes the strips are rolled again and again until it is so thin, a strip or sheet will bend on account of its own weight.

The badge itself is composed of two main parts called the panel and the back. The panel consists only of that part of the pin which is marked by the limits of the enamel on the finished badge. First let us consider how the panel itself is made.

The gold sheet is cut by shears into diamond-shaped pieces slightly larger than the finished panel is to be. Each of these pieces is then laid in turn on the hardened steel die and is struck a sharp blow by a sixty-pound drop-hammer. It is then annealed, or heat treated, by a gas torch and is then returned to

the die for another blow. The operation of annealing and stamping is repeated a third time and the panel finally leaves the die with perfectly formed and clearly outlined gold stars and Greek letters.

The excess metal is then trimmed off and the panel proceeds to what is known as "the bench," where it is filed down, edges are rolled, and the file marks are eradicated by an emery stick. All bench work is hand work and one is impressed by the infinite precision with which each operation is accomplished. The gold pegs which will eventually unite the panel to its back are also soldered on at this bench.

Next in order is the enameling room. Enamel in its raw state consists of metallic oxides, a flux and glass. It comes in rough pieces weighing perhaps an ounce or so, which give out a distinctly metallic ring when struck together. These are broken up, then pulverized and mixed with pure water. After the panel has been through a nitric acid bath to thoroughly clean it, the snowy white enamel is applied with a small brush, after which it proceeds into the enameling oven where it is kept for about two minutes at a temperature of almost fourteen hundred degrees. Then the black enamel is applied and baked on in the same way.

The panel now appears utterly ruined. The enamel covers over the Greek letters completely. But this is just as it should be, for a few deft strokes over the surface with a carborundum stone bring the gold letters again into view. The piece is thoroughly brushed to remove all foreign particles, is then baked again and comes out of the oven with a high gloss. Next it is polished on a felt wheel with a mixture of water and pumice powder. It now returns to the bench to be attached to the back.

We must therefore return to the manufacture of the back. The gold stock is cut and the back is stamped in the die in the same manner as before described, except that two stampings instead of three are sufficient. It is then sheared and trimmed and goes to the bench. Here two holes are drilled through it to correspond with the pegs attached to the panel. The pin joint and safety catch are next soldered on. If it is to be a jewelled badge the edges are drilled and the sides cut down so as to permit light to strike the jewel from both sides. Next the pin is attached to the pin joint and the back is given a series of acid baths following a sand blast, all of which results in the dull gold finish we require. The pin itself is again polished, as a dull gold pin would be apt to tear the fabric of your clothing.

At last the panel and the back are joined together and will henceforth proceed as one. This union is effected by pressing the two parts firmly together with the pegs of the panel passing through the holes drilled in the back. The pegs are snipped off and the stubs of the pegs neatly rounded by a rotary press especially designed for that purpose.

The two gold stars are still to be replaced by diamonds. Holes are drilled by a small hand drill and the five points of each star are cut out with a sharp hand tool. The gem setter now picks up a small glass tube about the size of the one containing Dr. Carter's famous pills, and pours out not pills, but diamonds. With his glass to his eye he selects one and carefully places it in position. It is then made fast by carefully curling tiny slivers of gold from the badge itself up over the edge of the diamond. So tiny are these slivers from the five points of the star that they are invisible to the naked eye. I could not see them even with the aid of the jeweler's magnifying glass until he had dulled the reflection by applying wax over the diamond.

The setting of the diamonds practically completes the pin. It has been impossible, of course, to describe the infinite care with which everything is done, the repeated washings or other cleaning processes, or the frequent and final inspections of the product.

After the tour of inspection Mr Balfour asked if there still remained any questions unanswered. "Yes," I said, "just one—why did the center of the jewelry industry of this country ever come to Attleboro, a town reached only by trains making all stops and in such time as the proverbial train through Arkansas?"

Even this he explained. Years ago a jeweler migrated there either from Boston or Providence. As his business grew he imported skilled workmen. Other jewelers went there because of the supply of workmen skilled in this line. The industry flourished, and today the whole country turns to Attleboro, the city of countless jewelry manufacturers. And as long as the high business standards are maintained and sincere courtesy continues to be shown to the inquiring, there seems little danger that the center of the trade will move elsewhere.

Marian V. Gregg, Boston alumnae

"Feminine Factors in Families of College Presidents."

Additional data: Rev E. H. Todd, President of the College of Puget sound, has a Theta wife, graduate of Simpson college, Iowa.

CONVENTION DELEGATES



AILEEN TRIMBLE
DePauw



MARTHA LUCAS
Butler



MILDRED HERRICK
Illinois

COLLEGE CHAPTERS

Alpha's delegate is Aileen Trimble of Westfield, New Jersey. She has hazel eyes, curly golden hair, and always a sunny smile. She won honors in journalism, and is talented in public speaking; very capable and responsible. Made president of chapter this spring. We like "Tuny," and know you will too.

Beta's delegate—Dorothy Sparks.

Martha Elizabeth Lucas is Gamma's delegate. She is a member of the class of 1924. You will know her by her tall, slender figure and her unsurpassable dignity and poise. Martha the fair, Martha the lovable—is our sophomore member of the executive committee—who can be sweet but firm. Her grades are high. She is loved and respected by all of us.

Mildred Herrick is the delegate of Delta. She is a most attractive girl, much interested in chapter activities. Her originality has won her a place on stunt show committees.

Elsa Oiesen, Eta's delegate, is a leader in '23 class. Born in China; registered from Charlemont, Massachusetts—with mystifying accent nearest British, she appears to **Michigan** have seen and done interesting things, like summer camping. Athletic and capable, with boundless pep and flashing eyes.

Anne Kimmel Hoehler is Iota's delegate. She enters into undertakings with great enthusiasm which insures their success. As a friend she is sincere and loyal, always ready with **Cornell** a helpful hand. As a Theta her life is an expression of Theta ideals and sisterhood.

Margaret Lynch, Kappa's delegate, is an attractive, interesting girl with black hair, olive complexion, and deep serious **Kansas** brown eyes. Her charming personality, sunny smile and rather unusual poise endear her to everyone. Margaret is our rushing captain for next year and has a staunch loyalty to Theta's ideals. Her systematic ways and unfailing judgment of values make her particularly suitable as convention delegate.

Lambda sends Hilda Woodruff as delegate. She is of medium height, has brown hair and hazel eyes, and may be identified **Vermont** by an irresistible giggle. Hilda is not only artistically inclined but has a knack of planning and managing things—that's why she's always in demand at parties and on stunt nights.



ELSA OIESEN
Michigan



ANNE HOEHLER
Cornell



MARGARET LYNCH
Kansas

Maria P. Avery is Mu's delegate. Her picture cannot give any definite idea of her good fellowship and jolly disposition.

Allegheny After knowing Petey, as her friends call her, for five minutes, you will decide that she is one of the most interesting and sympathetic girls you have met.

Omicron's delegate is Ona Stalder.

Rho's delegate is Helen Wylie. She arrived in Lincoln last year, from Mills college. She is a junior in the university. She

Nebraska is a mighty dandy, all-round girl—a good athlete, a good student, and a good friend. She is indispensable during rushing, because of her charm and her dependableness.

Ireland, China and Canada have combined, upon an excellent foundation, to produce Sigma's delegate, Alice Hunter. **Toronto** contains no more enthusiastic and reliable Theta than "Bolshie"—she has no other name within the chapter. It sounds radical but there is no need for alarm; her sense of humor will protect you both. If you walk with her she will have you panting in the rear. If you swim with her she will do the same (watch her at the convention Regatta). If you compete with her in exams your relative positions will be unchanged. But if it's a friendly "chin wag" (her own word) or real help you want, she's with you to the end.



HILDA WOODRUFF
Vermont



MARIA P. AVERY
Allegheny



HELEN WYLIE
Nebraska



ALICE HUNTER
Toronto



HELEN WEIRICK
Northwestern



CAROLINE FRASER
Minnesota

Helen Weirick will represent Tau. Short; jolly; pink cheeks; medium brown, fluffy hair; a gentle, independent, think-for-herself bearing. Vice-president Y. W. **Northwestern** C. A. and chairman of the Membership department; delegate to the Y. W. C. A. national convention at Hot Springs in April. We believe that she will faithfully represent Tau and bring to us the spirit of convention.

Caroline Fraser, Upsilon's delegate, is doubly a Theta, for she was brought up in a Theta atmosphere, her sisters, Mary and Catherine, both being loyal Thetas. She has an unusual influence in the chapter, due to her congenial, sympathetic personality, and her ability as an organizer and a leader. We all feel that no one can carry our spirit to convention, and bring home new ideas to us, so well as Caroline. **Minnesota**

Clear-mindedness and personal charm are the chief characteristics of Elizabeth Spilman, Phi's delegate. Although no one would suspect it from her appearance, she is one of those rare beings, a law student. As president of the house she has shown her executive ability many times. **Stanford**

Miriam Linville '24, Chi's delegate, possesses a rare combination of beauty and efficiency. Attended Central high school, Washington, D. C. and is in the Economics college at Syracuse. Won freshman scholarship ring and is manager of many chapter affairs. **Syracuse**



MIRIAM A. LINVILLE
Syracuse



EDITH HESS
Wisconsin



ANNA BANCROFT
Swarthmore

Edith Hess is Psi's delegate and chapter president. You'll know her by her Scandinavian locks, and the twinkle in her hazel eyes—a twinkle that's full of the Old Harry. She's always ready for fun, but not without her serious side, too, for when Edith conducts a meeting, she means business. Psi feels perfect confidence in her representative.

Omega's delegate——? ? ?

Anna Bancroft we introduce as Alpha Beta's delegate. She is better known as "Nancy," a name which suits her exactly. We think that in choosing Nancy as our delegate, we have chosen a typical Theta to represent our chapter.

Alpha Gamma's representative to the convention is Lady Halliday. She has achieved the honor of being privileged to wear the Marjorie Dean Theta pin for the highest record among sophomores in the chapter. Her success in academic work is greater because of the increased glory she brings us through her many and varied campus activities. Lady is president of Chimes, junior girls' society; a member of Y. W. C. A. Cabinet; of Browning, Shakespearean dramatic society; of Strollers dramatic club; of the Junior Prom committee; of Sigma Delta Phi, honorary public speaking fraternity; and has recently been elected by campus voice for the second time to the Rose-buds, composed of women on the campus who lead in activities, general popularity, and scholarship.

Added to the above record, Lady has a charming personality, a sparkling vivacious manner of expressing herself and is very popular among all classes and types.

Margaret Coleman is Alpha Delta's delegate. She is good to look at, good to talk to, and even better to know. She comes from the Quaker City and is as delightfully demure as its daughters are supposed to be. It is her firm conviction that there is nothing in the world as fine as Theta.

Alpha Eta introduces her delegate, Mary Evans Tarpley. She is unusually pretty—light hair, blue eyes and somewhat of an olive complexion. She is a sophomore, secretary of the class, member of the sophomore social club. You will like her—we do—so do all the fraternities here.

Selwyn Sage will represent Alpha Theta. She entered the University of Texas last fall, a junior transfer from National Park seminary. We had to give her a big rush, as our chief rivals wanted her too. She was president of our pledges the first term, when having made a B average she was accorded the honor of early initiation under our college rules. Her professors all speak very highly of her work, but better still they always add something about her fineness, her wholesomeness, or her charm. She has been elected to Theta Sigma Phi; and has made Curtain club, one of the most coveted honors to be won at Texas. It is with love, and pride, and joy that we send Selwyn to represent us, knowing she will bring to us the inspiration and vision of convention.

Marion Whitbread, Alpha Iota delegate, is the present treasurer of our chapter, treasurer of the Women's athletic association.



LADY HALLIDAY
Ohio State



MARGARET F.
COLEMAN
Goucher



MARY EVANS TARPLEY
Vanderbilt

Washington, St. Louis tion, member of Women's council, nominated for Engineers' queen, on hockey, basketball, track, and swimming teams, and was last year's president of Clais, freshman honorary society.

Alberta Schweickert, Alpha Kappa delegate, will be a junior next year. She is a very clever, capable girl, with remarkable executive ability and excellent scholarship. She is **Adelphi** very pretty, very tiny, with deep hazel eyes and smooth, glossy black hair, and a mouth betraying deep determination.

Vera Allen, whom Alpha Lambda has chosen to represent Theta's most western chapter, is a junior in college and a resident of Seattle. Her personality embodies all of the **Washington** requirements of a true Theta and we are very happy to have her carry our best wishes for a splendid convention.

Alline Smith is the delegate of Alpha Mu. She is also president of the chapter. She has been in college here three years, and has proved herself most capable. She is well **Missouri** liked by all the college. Alline is five feet five inches tall, weighs 112 pounds, and is decidedly a blonde.

Mary X. McCarthy is Alpha Nu's delegate. Peculiar combination of Irish smile and level business **Montana** head give her ability for any position. Junior, chairman of athletic committee, secretary of A. S. U. M., honor roll student, Theta house manager.



SELWYN SAGE
Texas



MARION WHITBREAD
Washington-St. Louis



ALBERTA
SCHWEICKERT
Adelphi



ALLINE SMITH
Missouri



MARY X. MCCARTHY
Montana



ELIZABETH TORREY
Oregon

Elizabeth Torrey is a young person of much charm as well as of much intelligence. A junior in the department of zoology, she is also a student instructor in that subject. From Oregon that introduction you expect her to be angular and pedantic, and to discourse on learned subjects, but she is not and she does not. She is tall and pretty, with fluffy hair and shining eyes. It is loads of fun to sit by her at dinner, for she has a rare sense of humor. Behold Alpha Xi's delegate.

Alpha Omicron's delegate is Jeannette Barnes. Oklahoma She has a pleasing personality and manner which will enable her to make herself known among the other delegates. She also has Theta at heart and works for it faithfully and earnestly.



JEANNETTE BARNES
Oklahoma



MARGUERITE BLACK
North Dakota



MILDRED ALLEN
South Dakota

Alpha Pi is exceedingly proud of her delegate. When Marguerite Black came to the university we were told to look for a "blonde beauty" and with this description in mind we easily found her on registration day. Since that time we have found that Marguerite is a girl of many more charms. She has a delightful sense of humor as well as a sense of her responsibilities. She is a girl that makes a vivid impression—that lasts.

South Dakota Mildred Allen, Alpha Rho's delegate, is a very good student, conscientious, jolly, and always cheerful. Prominent in activities, she has a host of friends. Democracy and cheerfulness are two of Mildred's most likeable qualities.

Washington State Alpha Sigma has chosen Eleanor Mason to represent her at convention. Eleanor is a junior and is enrolled in the department of Economic science and history. She was fraternity treasurer for the year 1921-22 and is at present house manager and vice-president elect.

Alpha Tau's delegate is the adored big sister of the underclassmen and the beloved contemporary of the upperclassmen, Reland Miller by name. Reland is one of the best workers in the chapter. She is high in scholarship and prominent in university activities. And she is popular without as well as within Theta.



ELEANOR F. MASON
Washington State



RELAND MILLER
Cincinnati



THELMA HOBSON
Washburn



NELLIE BRITTON
Newcomb



MATHILDA HARRIMAN
Lawrence



ELINOR McCORMICK
Pittsburgh

Thelma Hobson has Alpha Upsilon's conception of Theta earnestness, enthusiasm, and congeniality. Thelma is a sophomore and a leader in the Y. W. C. A., in many other student activities, and in the social life of Washburn. We want you to know the spirit of Alpha Upsilon through Thelma Hobson.

Nellie Britton is the attractive and capable delegate of Alpha Phi. She is a blonde, bobbed hair and blue eyes. At first glance, one would think her very retiring and quiet but on further acquaintance, you learn that one of her real charms is a low, smooth southern voice. She is a good talker and will meet anyone halfway in friendliness.

Alpha Chi's delegate is Ruth Bahls.

Mathilda Harriman, Alpha Psi's delegate, participates in numerous college activities, holds many offices and manages everything exceedingly well. She is a good student, dependable friend, and a clever, entertaining conversationalist.

Elinor McCormick, Alpha Omega's delegate, is a girl of clear, firm judgment, who expresses her opinions convincingly. Elinor has a personality which is irresistible, a beauty which charms with its perfect naturalness, and the friendliest smile in the world. As chapter corresponding secretary, and as president of the junior girls at the university, she has demonstrated her splendid ability.



HELEN JONES
Colorado State



CATHERINE TAIT
Arizona



BERNICE BRIGHT
Oregon State

Beta Beta's delegate is Agnes Bennett.

Colorado State

Helen Jones, Beta Gamma's delegate, has light hair and blue eyes. When you see her you will know why we love her and admire her, and have chosen her to be our new president and delegate.

Catherine Tait, Beta Delta's delegate, is of medium height, slender, with light hair and blue eyes. She possesses a great deal of poise and an unusual amount of executive ability. She is president of the Women's self-government association and is very prominent in college activities.

Arizona

Beta Epsilon is sending as delegate Bernice Bright. Bernice is personally attractive, makes friends easily, is tactful and reserved, is a good student and a capable business woman. We think she is truly characteristic and representative of this chapter.

Oregon State

Alma Brooks is Beta Zeta's delegate. When a convention delegate was mentioned there was a spontaneous outburst from all the members—"Alma." So Alma Brooks, our president, will represent Beta Zeta at the convention. She is ever optimistic and unfailingly cheerful. She is full of enthusiasm and energy, always alert and active.

Oklahoma State

After meeting Helen Ziegler, Beta Eta, this delegate you will remember as a dignified, well poised senior of much charm, endowed with tact, good judgment, and executive ability. Conservative and quiet, she yet possesses a vital energy and enthusiasm for doing interesting things. Her activities are many and varied, debating, dramatics, music, and social affairs of campus being the most prominent.

Ernestine Rose will represent Beta Theta. She is eager, young, giving one a strong sense of the vitality of youth. Ernestine has an athletic figure of medium height and build; blue eyes with a deliciously humorous, jolly twinkle; fair smooth hair—an outdoor girl, prominent in athletics and yet of studious attitude. She is the embodiment of fine ideals, a favorite among her friends, and a perfect type of the western girl.

Beta Iota's delegate is Margaret Loebnitz, a sophomore and charter member of the chapter. She is interested in athletics and social service, in Y. W. C. A. Margaret is majoring in romance languages, democratic, and possesses a great deal of pep. She is blonde, five feet two.

Lucile McKee is Beta Kappa's delegate. She is a favorite among us and we are sure the Thetas at convention will find her congenial whether or not they are interested in golf or in dancing, for these are just two of her accomplishments. She is modest and unassuming as you can gather from the fact that as Beta Kappa's new editor she refused to write this.



ALMA BROOKS
Oklahoma State



HELEN ZIEGLER
Pennsylvania



ERNESTINE ROSE
Idaho



MARGARET LOEBNITZ
Colorado



LUCILE E. McKEE
Drake

ALUMNÆ CHAPTERS

Appleton alumnæ's delegate is Anne Hawes.

Baltimore alumnæ is sending as delegate Dorothy Wilson. Dorothy attended the convention of 1913, where she had charge of a stunt, so perhaps some of you may remember her. She has been president of our chapter for the past two years and we are very glad to have her represent us.

Boston alumnæ's delegate——? ? ?

Ruth Grandy Pike, Lambda '16, will represent Burlington alumnæ at convention. Mrs Pike attended the Minnewaska convention and was Lambda's delegate at the Gearhart convention. Since graduation she has kept in close touch with fraternity affairs, both local and national, and is well qualified to represent her alumnæ chapter.

Champaign-Urbana alumnæ's delegate—Charlotte B. Ward.

Chicago alumnæ's delegate is Jessie L. Farr, the long-term, competent, faithful corresponding secretary of the chapter. Her dark, sparkling eyes and contagious laugh have been noticeable at several conventions, so she will find many at Placid eager to renew her friendship.

Cincinnati alumnæ's delegate is E. Marie Crowe.

Cleveland alumnae will be represented by Blanche Day Allen (Mrs R. C.).

Columbus alumnae's delegate is Edestina Hendricks Rutherford (Mrs Thomas). As a member of Beta chapter, where she graduated from Indiana university in 1906, a member of Indianapolis alumnae, and later of our chapter, she has always made her loyal, sincere and enthusiastic personality, a helpful one.

Zebuline Murray, delegate of Denver alumnae, came to us from the State agricultural college at Fort Collins. She is small and slender, has light hair, bobbed, and talks "Georgia." She is just now teaching domestic science in the Denver schools, stoutly maintains that there is no vitamine problem, and has an infallible system for gathering bait when it is time to go fishing.

We are glad to have you meet Bonnie Marshall, Alpha Delta, tall and fair, wearing glasses, having heavy brown hair. Cultivate her acquaintance. You will find she is interesting and well worth knowing. Cordial, though quiet and unassuming in manner, most loyal and enthusiastic worker for Theta, as state chairman for Iowa and president of Des Moines alumnae chapter.

Detroit alumnae's delegate——? ? ?

The delegate of Evanston alumnae is Pauline Fera.



MRS PIKE
Burlington Alumnae



MARIA SLADE
Kansas City Alumnae



MRS LADD
Lincoln Alumnae

Houston alumnae's delegate——? ? ?

Edna Taylor Ritter's activities in Indianapolis alumnae have ranged from stage-hand to president and she's equally good in all. Her services to the Building fund association of her college chapter have been invaluable—ask Alpha! She has vivacity, enthusiasm, sympathy, and energy.

Marie Slade is Kansas City's delegate. She is of slight build, medium height, and brown hair, and makes her way into your memory with those lovely eyes of hers. When she speaks, she impresses you with her soft-toned voice and manner of expression. She will continue to grow upon you, and then you will begin to have some idea of her worthwhile ability.

Mrs C. F. Ladd (Minnie Latta, A.B. '87), Lincoln alumnae's delegate, was initiated into Rho in April, 1887. She was also a member of Black Masque, now Mortar Board. Mrs. Ladd enjoys the distinction of having been a charter member of Rho, number one in the chapter chain, and of having been the first member to have a daughter taken into Rho.

Los Angeles alumnae's delegate is her president, Helen Abrams. She is an able officer and a charming girl. Her ease of expression and method of presentation will strengthen any suggestions she may bring to convention. Helen is a successful teacher in Pasadena, and an enthusiastic worker for Theta. Her zeal and earnestness may be seen in the successful and prosperous year our chapter has enjoyed under her able guidance.

Hester Harper, one of the most persistent of conventionites, will represent Madison alumnae. Hester has a very wide acquaintance in the fraternity, as she has visited Theta wherever her travels over the country took her and is always a welcome guest, for her dignity, charm, and humor are irresistible. Now she is serving as Wisconsin state chairman on the Alumnae board.

Dorothy Hay, New Orleans alumnae delegate, is a charming, attractive and clever girl. When you meet her you'll realize that the usual character sketch wouldn't do at all.



DOROTHY HAY
New Orleans Alumnae



MIRIAM F. SLOCUM
New York Alumnae



HELEN BIDDLE
Philadelphia Alumnae

New York alumnae will be officially represented at convention by the chapter's able president, Miriam F. Slocum. Miriam is a graduate of Brown, where she was a member of Alpha Epsilon chapter, but she has been living in New York so long, and been so identified with all Theta activities in and around that city, that without her New York Thetas would be at a loss.

Oklahoma City alumnae chapter will be represented by its president, Maude Bandel Kite (Mrs W. C.). Mrs Kite was a charter member of Beta Zeta, being initiated among the alumnae who had as undergraduates worked hard to make the local worthy of a Theta charter. From the day of her initiation, she has been actively interested not only in the affairs of her own college chapter but also in the larger Theta activities as personified in the alumnae chapter work in Oklahoma City.

Omaha alumnae's delegate——? ? ?

Helen Biddle, Philadelphia alumnae's delegate, is a graduate of Swarthmore in 1917. Chapter president her senior year, twice class secretary. Hockey career brought fame to college. Now captain of Riverton hockey team. Holds position with Burlington county, chairman of the Anti-tuberculosis league. Theta's New Jersey state chairman.

Pittsburgh alumnae's delegate is Hazel Keffer Peden. Hazel is a very live, enthusiastic Theta, being a charter member of Alpha Omega, and always having



HAZEL KEFFER PEDEN
Pittsburgh Alumnae



MRS EDNA ACKERMAN
GREATHEAD
San Francisco Alumnae



MRS WALCH
Syracuse Alumnae

been a very interested and active worker in both her college and alumnae chapters.

Frances Lounsbury will represent Portland alumnae.

The delegate from Providence alumnae is Beatrice Kohlberg.

St Louis alumnae is sending Clara Northeutt Follenius (Mrs C. B.) as its delegate.

Edna Ackerman Greathead (Mrs John F.) Chi, 1910, has been associated with the San Francisco alumnae chapter since 1918. Her two small children and local club work keep her busy. She's always been a Theta fan and takes a two-and-a-half hour journey to get to meetings, considering it well worth while. You'll know her at convention by her enthusiasm about the Berkeley Theta center.

The delegate of Seattle alumnae is Hazel E. Skeel (Mrs E. L.).

Spokane alumnae's delegate—? ? ?

Ollie Ross Walch, Syracuse alumnae's delegate, graduated from Syracuse in 1897. She is now for the second time president of the Syracuse alumnae chapter. Her first term in 1910 was signalized by a great achievement—the launching of successful plans for the purchase of a chapter house for Chi. You will find her a charming woman.

Tacoma alumnae's delegate—? ? ?

Topeka alumnæ will be represented by Genevieve McMillan.

Our president, Elizabeth Hargreaves '17, is to be Toronto alumnæ's delegate to convention. She is a most enthusiastic Theta and her position in the office of the registrar of the university, and also the fact that her sister Florence is a Sigma sophomore, keep her in touch with the college chapter as well as the alumnæ.

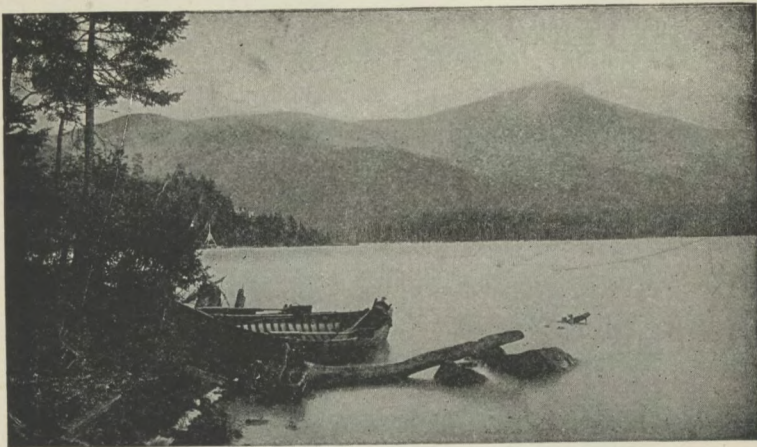
Twin cities alumnæ's delegate—? ? ?

Washington alumnæ's delegate—Margaret Sawyer.



ELIZABETH
HARGREAVES
Toronto Alumnæ

The newest alumnæ chapter, Wichita alumnæ, will be represented by its president, Frances Strickland, Kappa.



WHITEFACE FROM LAKE PLACID CLUB'S MOOSE ISLAND

HISTORY BITS

From recent contributions to the Kappa Alpha Theta history we cull the following interesting excerpts by way of suggestion. Can any Theta anywhere unearth similar early memories, either first or second-hand?

A LETTER FROM THE FIRST INITIATE

"I see by consulting my date book that I was initiated into Kappa Alpha Theta March 3, 1870. I was then sixteen years old and a freshman at Asbury, now De Pauw university. This was less than five weeks after Founders'-day. Two of the Founders, Bettie Locke Hamilton and Alice O. Allen Brant, were juniors; one, Betty Tipton Lindsey, a sophomore, and one, Virginia Fitch Shaw, a freshman. These girls were older than I, so I wondered a little at their kind attentions. I was not versed in "spiking" or "rushing," or I might not have been surprised when the bid was given. I was pleased at the opportunity of becoming associated with these fine young college women. I took the matter under advisement with the understanding that I could consult with my mother, and that my acceptance would not separate me from my two best friends and classmates. Our fraternity—we insisted upon not being called a sorority—was so new that we had no formal initiation service. We five met on the afternoon of March 3 in Virginia Fitch's room. The secretary read the constitution and by-laws, and explained the meaning of the symbols of the badge. They said two of the most prominent professors had given hearty approval to the organization of the fraternity, and by those not consulted no disapproval was offered. We considered this a good omen, as coeducation was an experiment, and a Greek letter fraternity for women had not been suggested before. One secret we particularly guarded was that we were an infant born at Asbury, January 27, 1870. For a number of years we have been very proud of that fact. Like Mr Finney's turnip, we "grew and we grew" beyond our fondest dreams."

Mary S. Buchtel (Mrs H. A.)

THETA THIRTY YEARS AGO

"The greatest difference between Theta thirty years ago and Theta now is in the control of the national organization over the individual chapters. In my earliest chapter we scarcely thought

of the national organization except as we heard it mentioned in initiation, and that mention was slight. None of the national officers ever visited us as a chapter, and no directions or criticisms came to us from them. The national convention was held at the university at the time I knew the chapter, and the meetings were taken up with such things as details of initiation. In fact a uniform initiation was first agreed upon at that convention and I had the honor of being the initiate. In the second chapter I knew ten years later, the national organization was much more evident, and although no officer visited us, we received many letters and directions from them, also examination questions to be answered, something unknown in my first chapter. During the last few years as patroness of a Kappa chapter I have observed the increasing connection between national officers and chapters in all fraternities, and at the Gearhart convention it was made very clear. I believe this increased supervision has raised the standards of scholarship and ideals in the fraternity.

. . . Our entertainments were simpler, but we enjoyed them at least as much as college men and women seem to enjoy theirs now. The dances were very different then. We waltzed and schottisched, polkaed and quadrilled, to music furnished by a harp and violins played by little dark-eyed Italians. Sometimes between dances these little men have played 'real music' on their harp and violins. There could scarcely be a greater contrast than the contrast between their soft, swaying waltz music and the jazz music played today."

Katherine H. Blynn, Beta chapter

Miss Edna Rising of Kappa chapter has sent in a splendid response to our request for material. She has even gone the history committee one better and thought up new and original suggestions which were not included in the questionnaire sent out to her chapter. For instance, here is her account of Kappa's old type of pledging.

"Before 1904, when Anna Harrison brought to the chapter a form of pledge service, the pledging was done by one girl, who after making an appointment with the favored one, met her, extended the invitation, and pinned upon her shoulder a large bow and long streamers of wide black and gold ribbon, whereupon as many Thetas as possible gathered about the new pledge and took her to the most public place to display the said black and gold. As written invitations began to be used and a sort of formal 'asking day' was instituted, the group of successfully pledged girls were loaded into a tally-ho carriage and driven around,

with many flourishes of the whip which had huge black and gold streamers even larger than those which adorned the girls. One year the chapter decided to abolish any sort of rushing, to be different from the Kappas and Pi Phis, and pledged, late in November, the few with whom they had become well acquainted since September. Girls who were in college at that time felt they got just as fine girls as when they rushed."

She has written, too, an account of their old type of formal parties.

"At these, the town's chief hall was decked in all the furniture and palms that could be borrowed, all the black and gold crêpe paper that could be obtained in town, and all varieties of black cats, from a ten-foot one over the door to small stickers upon the programmes. It was always a great problem whom to ask to lead the grand march, and a motion was made in fraternity meeting that 'All Thetas take their gentlemen's arm during the march,' and that 'No Thetas shall give away any dances before the party.' Upon one occasion the Phi Psis, by way of a practical joke, called up the Phi Delt house, just before the Theta party, and asked if the Thetas might borrow their davenport and chairs (it was quite the style to import as much fraternity equipment as possible). When the Phi Deltas very sweetly acquiesced and sent up the furniture, the Thetas had completed decorating the hall and knew that they had not asked for it, so they politely declined to receive said davenport which had been so hurriedly and nobly sacrificed. As a joke this was very successful but it caused a distinct coolness between the Phi Deltas and Thetas."

Some of the chapters have scrap-books containing pictures and party favors. We could use the pictures, and a few pages of unique favors would be interesting.

Has anyone a copy of the picture of the earliest Thetas taken about 1875 near Greencastle, grouped about Sellers' Cave? We need this very much. All pictures loaned us will be returned, as copies will be made here to be used for the history.

Write us about Thetas who are famous enough to qualify for "Who's Who." Get us their biographies if you can, or send us their names and addresses so we can get in touch with them.

We are having a desperate struggle to get histories of dead chapters. We shall be glad to know of any member of an inactive chapter who can give us an account of that chapter before the return of its charter.

The history is to be discussed at convention in June. We want *everything* we can gather before that time. We want to

classify, compile, and catalog all material so it may be taken to convention as concrete evidence of something accomplished, and as an inspiration of more to be done in the near future. We want to make a history *drive*, and to back it up with real live data. Help us to make it a success. And remember the *color*, the *human interest* stories, the charm of anecdotes!

Ruth de Pledge Burgunder (Mrs R. M.),
Chairman History committee

NEW CHAPTERS

It is our pleasant duty to officially welcome two new chapters to the roll of Kappa Alpha Theta in this issue.

Our newest alumnae chapter was chartered at Wichita, Kansas, February 24. The charter members are: Rebecca Welty Dunn (Mrs Grover) and Marjory Lyle Hasty (Mrs Lew), both of Alpha Upsilon; Erna Barteldes Maggard (Mrs D. I.), Elizabeth Tustan Forter (Mrs Cecil), Dorothy Cochran, Frances W. Strickland, Laura Jackman, Agnes Wright Strickland (Mrs C. W.), all of Kappa; Mary Sanson Jones (Mrs O. C.) of Mu; Nina Given Horn (Mrs H. W.) of Epsilon; Alma Fellows Piatt (Mrs R. M.), Josephine Millen, and Louise Finney, all three from Beta; Maude Millar Hazeltine (Mrs Roy), Maybelle Williams, and Eleanor O'Connell, all three from Alpha Omicron.

On April 7 a charter was granted for the establishment of Beta Lambda chapter at William and Mary college, Williamsburg, Virginia. The local that received this charter was known as Gamma Omega. Installation under the direction of the Grand vice-president will take place at the end of April or the first of May. The chapter will be officially welcomed when its delegate and other members meet with the fraternity at convention in June.

L. Pearle Green, Grand secretary

SCHOLARSHIP HONORS FOR 1920-21

Additions to list in January issue:

Beta Beta:

Mary Wyatt elected to Phi Beta Kappa.

Maxie Stone, winner of junior scholarship.

Alpha Omicron:

Dorothy Prouty, Anna Knight, Louise Orton, and

Florence Monnett, elected to Phi Beta Kappa.

CONVENTION



LAKE PLACID CLUB

SENTINEL MOUNTAINS

SPECIAL TRAIN ARRANGEMENTS

SCHEDULE

Our Special Train will be operated over the Michigan Central and New York Central lines, from Chicago to Lake Placid. The schedule follows:

Lv. Chicago	June 22—10:30	A. M. Central time
Ar. Ann Arbor	June 22— 4:30	P. M.
Lv. Ann Arbor	June 22— 9:38	P. M.
Ar. Detroit	June 22—10:35	P. M.
Ar. Niagara Falls, Ont.....	June 23— 6:00	A. M. Eastern time
Lv. Niagara Falls, Ont.....	June 23— 2:30	P. M.
Ar. Buffalo	June 23— 3:30	P. M.
Lv. Buffalo	June 23— 9:20	P. M.
Lv. Rochester	June 23—10:50	P. M.
Lv. Syracuse	June 24—12:30	A. M.
Lv. Utica	June 24— 1:30	A. M.
Ar. Lake Placid	June 24— 7:15	A. M.

Luncheon will be served by dining-car on the train, June 22. Dinner that night will be arranged for in Ann Arbor. Breakfast, June 23, will be snatched somewhere in Niagara Falls, before departing on the tour of the Falls; luncheon will be taken with the Toronto Thetas at the Clifton house. The Buffalo Thetas are arranging an automobile ride and a dinner, where the convention-bound Thetas may meet the stay-at-home Thetas of the city and its environs. Breakfast, June 24, will be served at the Lake Placid club.

SLEEPING CAR RATES ON THE SPECIAL

These fares permit occupancy of the cars by the passengers or their belongings the entire trip, and include the surcharge to Lake Placid for operating a train on this schedule.

Lower berth, Chicago to Lake Placid.....	\$10.75
Ann Arbor to Lake Placid.....	8.00
Detroit to Lake Placid.....	7.25
Buffalo to Lake Placid.....	3.75
Rochester to Lake Placid.....	3.75
Syracuse to Lake Placid.....	3.00

Upper berth, approximately 20% less than lower berth rate.

Drawing rooms, approximately four times lower berth rate.

All reservations for space on the Special Train must be made from Mr R. B. Holmes, A. G. P. A. Michigan Central railroad, 412, LaSalle street station, Chicago. Pullman tickets can be purchased from your local agent, after Mr Holmes has notified you of the space assigned you. If the local agent is unable to supply you with a Pullman ticket on the Special Train, you may purchase it after arrival in Chicago by presenting your letter from Mr Holmes assigning you space.

All Pullman Reservations Should Be Made by June 10

This is important. It is necessary to have 150 people to operate the Special Train. I have no doubt that there will be considerably more than that, but the Michigan Central officials are skeptical. So, in order to have the best possible equipment and service, we should have the last reservation in, and the last doubt removed from the minds of the men in charge, by June 10.

Pullman reservation on special train from all points on the route must be made by Chicago office.

TICKETS

From California and the Northwest through tickets will not be sold to Lake Placid, except through special arrangements with the local agents. Visitors from the west coast should make these arrangements as soon as possible, in order that they may check their baggage through to Lake Placid. Otherwise they will buy the summer tourist tickets to Chicago, where they will again buy tickets to Lake Placid and recheck baggage. This will necessitate looking after the baggage transfer also, so it is important to make arrangements at once to have local agent buy the tickets from Chicago to Lake Placid.

Those who contemplate traveling to other eastern points and taking Lake Placid as a side-trip can, if their tickets read New York Central east of Buffalo, have their through tickets endorsed for a stop-over at Utica, and travel from that point to Lake Placid and return for a fare of \$8.16. Your local agent should be able to supply you with the side trip tickets to Utica and return, if arrangements are made in advance. Such side ticket, in connection with the through ticket will permit checking baggage from starting point to Lake Placid.

On this date (April 10) the round-trip summer tourist fares are not definitely settled, but those given below will not vary greatly in amount from those finally published:

From Chicago to Lake Placid and return.....	\$ 49.91
From Denver to Lake Placid and return.....	109.60
From Minneapolis to Lake Placid and return.....	72.76
From St. Louis to Lake Placid and return.....	60.91
From Kansas city to Lake Placid and return.....	76.40
From the Pacific coast to Lake Placid and return..	135.00

Families and traveling companions of Thetas are very welcome to reservations on the Special Train. As far as possible the parties including men will have reservations in one special car.

SPECIAL CARS FROM CALIFORNIA

California Thetas will have special reservations on the schedule below. These special cars will join Burlington train, No. 2, at Denver. Reservations for these cars must be made before *May 15*, from Mr W. W. Redman, "Crabtree's," 2011 Shattuck avenue, Berkeley, California. Be sure to tell him at what point you will board the train.

Lower berth, San Francisco to Chicago.....	\$23.63
Los Angeles to Chicago.....	23.63

Rates from intermediate points can be obtained from local agents.

San Francisco train schedule:

June 18	Lv. Oakland, Western Pacific R.R. Train No. 2.....	9:55 A. M.
June 19	Ar. Salt Lake	3:30 P. M.
June 19	Lv. Salt Lake, Denver & Rio Grande R.R. Train No. 2	4:45 P. M.
June 20	Ar. Denver	8:20 P. M.
June 20	Lv. Denver, Chicago, Burlington & Quincy R.R. Train No. 2	9:45 P. M.
June 21	Ar. Omaha	3:30 P. M.
June 22	Ar. Chicago, Burlington station.....	7:00 A. M.

Los Angeles train schedule:

June 18	Lv. Los Angeles, U. P. Salt Lake route, Train No. 8..	10:50 A. M.
June 19	Ar. Salt Lake.....	12:35 P. M.
	Here connect with San Francisco car, leaving on Den- ver & Rio Grande train No. 2 at.....	
		4:45 P. M.

SPECIAL CAR FROM DENVER

This car will be on train No. 2 of the Burlington, leaving Denver at 9:45 P. M. June 20. (Same train will carry the California cars from Denver east, too.) It will arrive in Chicago at 7:00 A. M. June 22. Reservations should be made by June 10. Secure reservations from Mr S. R. Drury, G. A. P. D. Corner 17th and Champs streets, Denver. Reservations may be made in this car from all intermediate points en route. When writing Mr Drury be sure to state at what station you will board the train.

SPECIAL CAR FROM KANSAS CITY

Thetas using the special Kansas city sleeper, via the Burlington to Chicago, should secure their reservations from Mr H. S. Jones, G. A. P. D. Corner 7th and Walnut streets, Kansas City, Missouri. Reservations should be made by June 10. The train carrying this car will be No. 56, leaving Kansas city at 6:00 P. M. June 21, arriving in Chicago at 8:00 A. M. June 22.

SPECIAL CAR FROM THE NORTHWEST

Thetas from the Northwest who wish to travel together may take the special Theta car which will be carried on Northern Pacific-Burlington train No. 42. This train's schedule—

June 18	Lv. Seattle	3:45 P. M.
June 19	Lv. Spokane	7:00 A. M.
June 20	Lv. Missoula	4:55 P. M.
June 21	Ar. Lincoln	1:30 P. M.

Oregon and Idaho Thetas will join this car at Spokane. At Lincoln it will be switched onto Burlington train No. 2, which carries also the California and Denver special Theta cars.

Reservations for this car will be accepted from any intermediate point. Reservations *must* be made by June 10, from whatever point on the route, from Mr E. L. Carey, General Passenger Agent, Northern Pacific railroad, Seattle, Washington. Be sure when making reservations to state at what station you will board the train.

Lower berth, Seattle to Chicago	\$25.88
Spokane to Chicago	21.76
Missoula to Chicago	19.13

(NOTE.—This route was chosen because it has the only through sleeper from the Northwest arriving in Chicago in the morning in time to catch the Special Train.)

By the time Burlington No. 2 leaves Lincoln it will have assumed the proportions of a special train annex. A special representative will join it there to look after transfer of passengers and baggage in Chicago.

FROM NEW ORLEANS, OKLAHOMA, TEXAS AND ST LOUIS

The special Pullman for Thetas from New Orleans, Oklahoma, Texas, and the territory near St Louis, will be operated by the Illinois Central and carried on Train No. 18, leaving St Louis at 10:30 P. M. June 21, arriving in Chicago at 7:35 A. M. June 22, in the same station from which the Special Train will leave later in the morning. Reservations for this car should be made by June 10, from Mr F. D. Miller, 1304 Central National bank building, St Louis.

Lower berth, St Louis to Chicago	\$3.75
Upper berth, St Louis to Chicago	3:00

The best connection for New Orleans people is from the Illinois Central train leaving New Orleans at 7:45 P. M. June 20, arriving in St Louis at 4:45 P. M. June 21.

The Oklahoma connection is via the Frisco, leaving Oklahoma city at 11:30 P. M. June 20, arriving at St Louis at 8:32 P. M. June 21.

From Texas there is a choice of routes into St Louis, depending on personal preferences.

There will be a Theta jollification in St Louis Wednesday evening.

SPECIAL CAR FROM CINCINNATI

There will be a special Pullman over the Big Four from Cincinnati, for the girls of Alpha Eta, Alpha Tau, Alpha Gamma, and Cleveland. The train schedule follows:

June 22	Lv. Cincinnati	6:06 P. M.
June 22	Lv. Columbus	9:45 P. M.
June 23	Lv. Cleveland	2:40 A. M.
June 23	Ar. Buffalo	6:50 A. M.

Reservations for this car may be made from Big Four agents at any of these cities, or at any intermediate point. They should be made by June 10. Thetas traveling on this car will reach Buffalo in time to join the main party on the Special Train for the day at Niagara Falls.

SPECIAL CAR FROM NEW YORK CITY

Conventionites who will come to Lake Placid through New York city may make reservations on New York Central train No. 30-5, leaving New York city at 6:00 P. M. June 23. This car will be switched on to the Special Train at Utica in the middle of the night. Reservations for this car may be procured from Mr Neil Mooney, A. G. P. A. Grand Central Terminal, New York city. Mr Mooney will also furnish baggage tags which will insure the prompt delivery of trunks to rooms at the Lake Placid club.

BAGGAGE

THIS IS IMPORTANT TO EVERY VISITOR

When reservations are made on the Special Train out of Chicago, request Mr Holmes to send you as many special Kappa Alpha Theta baggage tags as you will need for your checked baggage. Attach these tags to your trunks, or other checked baggage, making sure that the tags bear your name. Check your baggage from home at least a day before your own departure. Trunks bearing these special tags and owner's name will be delivered to your rooms at the Lake Placid club by the time of your own arrival.

Via New York visitors can secure these tags along with their reservations, from Mr Mooney.

Convention visitors who are coming to Lake Placid on any other sort of ticket than the direct summer tourist rates, must be sure to understand the ticket buying directions, or they cannot take advantage of this simple and convenient baggage arrangement.

TIME! TIME!

From small towns, the purchase of the side trip tickets from Utica up to Lake Placid will take time. Make your arrangements as early as possible.

June 10 is the date before which Special Train reservations from Chicago *must* be made. The earlier you make yours the better plans can be made.

Special car reservations from California *must* be made by May 15; from the Northwest they *must* be made by June 10; and they should be made by June 10 for all other Special Theta cars.

STOPS EN ROUTE

At Ann Arbor the train will stop for four hours while we visit the Michigan chapter, see their chapter house, view their Alma Mater, and enjoy a Dutch-treat dinner somewhere with Eta in charge of us.

At Niagara Falls there will be an especially arranged trip for us, details and tickets for which may be procured on the Special Train.

At the Clifton house, on the Canadian side, the Toronto Thetas will meet us and be our friends at luncheon. Plates \$1.25, lunch served at 12, noon, railroad time.

In Buffalo, there will be a sight-seeing tour for the visitors, and dinner with the Buffalo Thetas at a downtown hotel. Details procurable on the Special Train.

AND THE LONGEST AND BEST STOP WILL BE AT THE LAKE PLACID CLUB. IT WILL LAST FIVE DAYS.

Martha Cline Huffman

PLACID WEATHER IN JUNE

The weather report for June, 1921, gives 61 as the mean temperature for the month, the maximum temperature was 88 on June 28, clear or fair days, 24.

The Lake Placid club sends the following message as to the probable weather the week we'll be there:

"June weather in the Adirondacks varies greatly. In the latter part of the month it is usually quite warm, but the nights are cool and for boating and such outdoor evening pleasures you will need warm clothes or wraps."

So come prepared to prevent the weather's interfering with your comfort and pleasure!!

LAKE PLACID CLUB—HOTEL RATES FOR CONVENTION

Thetas will enjoy the same rates as are paid by regular members of the Lake Placid club. If any care to remain longer than the last day of convention, the convention rate will be allowed them for their later stay. We will pay just half the regular room rates, but in writing for reservations, please designate according to the printed tariff below. For our free and unlimited use there will be 160 boats, 4 golf courses, 60 bath cabins, motor launches, and ferry. Mr Dewey, the Club President, also has planned other things for our pleasure, which will be without expense to us.

Meals: The rate will be \$4.50 per day.

Rooms: The smallest, or C rooms, without open fires, or extras, are \$1.00 and \$2.00 per day; standard, or B rooms, are \$3.00 and \$4.00 a day; A rooms, which are large, with private bath, open fires, desks, etc. are \$5.00 and \$6.00 a day; a few unusually large rooms, AA, are \$7.00, \$8.00, and \$9.00 a day. All the private baths are \$1.00 a day extra. If a \$4.00 to \$9.00 a day room is occupied by more than one person, \$2.00 per day is charged extra. There is no extra charge for extra occupant in \$1.00, \$2.00, and \$3.00 rooms.

Reservations: Every one, including official delegates, officers, and visitors, must make their own reservations by letter direct to—Room Clerk, Lake Placid Club, Essex county, N. Y. In writing for rooms state choice in size of room, with or without bath, number wish to room together, and state a second choice if rooms of first choice price are all gone. Also state the names and chapters of all persons in party for which you are making the reservations. The sooner all reservations are made the better. They *must be made by June 20.*

Relatives who come with Thetas to convention will find plenty of rooms in the club cottages. The same room tariffs apply at the Lakeside club house, where the majority of the Thetas will be housed, and in the many other places of accommodation, surrounding the club house, where we will take care of the Thetas accompanied by men and children, or visiting relatives, and also latecomers. Thetas wishing the maximum of quiet and privacy should request rooms in cottages.

WELCOME, SAYS DISTRICT IV

Thetas of the North, East, South and West, District IV welcomes you to the convention of 1922. We have selected as the place for the convention Lake Placid, the equal to which no district has yet found. You of the West and South, with mountains to boast, we offer you a wonderful lake region, thousands of lakes of which Lake Placid is the queen. To you of the North and Middle West with your many lovely lakes, we give a picturesque mountain country, the Switzerland of America.

Even if it were not for convention no better place could be found to spend a week's vacation. Those of you who are tired out after a strenuous year of business, school, or housekeeping will find at Lake Placid all the things that are conducive to rest. From the time your train reaches the North Woods your eyes will feast upon marvelous mountain scenery, peaks upon peaks, and lakes upon lakes.

The outdoors calls you the minute you leave the stuffy little train at the station. There are hundreds of trails through the woods where one may find quiet nooks in which to read or write or chat, trails filled with the tang of pine and balsam. There is Mohawk trail through Iroquois woods which commands some of the finest mountain views in the country; there is Edgewater trail from which one gets a view of Mirror Lake and the village of Lake Placid. But the nicest walk of all is to the Club golf house. Here one can see hundreds of mountain peaks, and, if the day is clear, several ponds and lakes miles away.

For you who have spent an uneventful year in a colorless town we have stunts without number to liven and thrill you. There is something at Lake Placid to satisfy the most fastidious taste. Here the fish are ready waiting for the angler's hook, fish that no story can exaggerate. Here the lake calls you to jump in and play, slide down the chutes and swim. Here boats summon you to paddle and row and take long trips through fairyland scenery.

Do you enjoy "roughing it"? Take a trip by motor boat to Moose island, where you can have an open camp. Carry provisions and blankets and spend the night there. Plan to have a good beefsteak supper as soon as you arrive. The guide will cook this while you sit in the balsam-lined camp before the big open fire and sing Theta songs.

Do you love the mountains? Climb Whiteface and look out over miles and miles of landscape that resembles the pictures of Switzerland we saw in our geographies. Or if you are not quite so ambitious, climb Cobble Hill before breakfast and be

glad you are alive to drink in the sights and smells of this wonderful country.

And O, the joy of motoring in this region! For those of you who have cars a more beautiful motor trip would be hard to find. Starting from Utica the highway leads along the Mohawk valley, turning off at Saratoga and going north by Lake George, Schroon Lake, Wilmington High Falls, then along the Ausable valley and into Placid. Every place is known for its beauty.

Those of you who come by train see the Adirondacks from another angle. Beginning at Utica, the route takes you through the Fulton Chain, Racquet Lake, Saranac and into Placid. At the village you are met by a motor bus which drives you a mile and a quarter to the Lake Placid club.

The village of Lake Placid that you see cuddled down in the south corner of the lake is there only as a sort of comparison by which you are to better appreciate the Lake Placid club itself. There is no need to go to the village at all save as a sight-seeing tour. The Club is a village complete in itself with telegraph and post office; with physician and nurses; with club infirmary; with well-equipped library; in fact, every advantage that a well organized village can boast.

We hope that every college Theta and every alumna is planning to come. The Club can hold us all many times over. It is situated on acres and acres of land, with forty tennis courts and a golf course that is the best in the United States. You may have all the fresh vegetables and fruit you can eat; the Club has seven farms from which to feed its guests, and dairies and poultry farms besides.

There are three large club houses and more than a hundred cottages. Won't it be fun for all of us to live together at Lakeside for a week? No doubt we will spend most of our time out-of-doors but the club house has many enjoyments too. There are large pleasant verandas and sun-parlors. One entire side of the dining-room is formed by plate glass windows which look out across the road and on to Mirror Lake. The Club has a huge dance hall and a house orchestra so we can have good times even if the weather should force us to stay inside.

We of District IV are eager to show you our lovely Lake Placid. There never was such a place for convention. Here you will feel the inspiration in our lakes and mountain peaks and realize how true is the old adage, "One touch of nature makes the whole world kin."

*Dorothy Cox Lowe and
Helen Porterfield Quirt*

THE KITE WILL FLY EVERY DAY

Everybody whether or not she goes to Lake Placid will need a copy of the *Kappa Alpha Theta Daily Kite*, the official newspaper of convention.

Just hear what the *Kite* will include:

1. Announcements of all sessions, meetings, and events. (You must have the *Kite* so you will know what to do next!)
2. Reports of every session and glorious happening.
3. Personal interviews with the Grand Officers and chapter delegates on subjects of interest to every Theta.
4. A "clever colyum" reflecting in rhyme (and we hope, in reason) the life of the five wonderful days.
5. A "do you remember when" department containing fascinating facts of Theta's history.
6. A "society corner" with all the unusual bits that everybody wants to know about everybody else.
7. Pictures you will want to keep.
8. Ever so many more features.

Order your copy today! The subscription price is only twenty-five cents for all five issues. Your quarter and your name must be sent to the business manager before June 15. Her name and address is MISS MARION GREEN, 127 FURMAN ST. SYRACUSE, NEW YORK.

Members of active and alumnae chapters should order through convention captains. See that your chapter has the greatest number of subscriptions.



FOREST NORTH COURTS

PROGRAM

The credentials and other committees will work Saturday morning, June 24.

At 4 P. M. that day will come the first convention session.

Sunday will be for conferences and individual get-acquainted functions, with a memorial concert and an initiation service.

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday mornings will be devoted to business sessions. Committee meetings, sectional gatherings, round tables, et cetera, will come in the early afternoons when necessary.

The afternoons of these days will see the athletic tournament in full swing, with alternating boat trips to Lake Placid and sight-seeing drives and hikes for the ambitious.

Every evening from Saturday through Wednesday there will be something doing—something both entertaining and exciting. Since surprise is always a social asset, the nature of these events are known only to the committees in charge—but the Council guarantees that each committee will give you the “best time ever” on its night.

CLOTHES VERSUS CONVENTION

Nowadays when Thetas meet, the all-absorbing topic of conversation is convention. At a meeting a short time ago some one made the remark, “I don’t want to go to convention, unless I can go right.” With women’s intuitions, we knew that right meant clothes. Probably we all feel the same way for we all like pretty new clothes and think they help us in making good impressions. But we must stop and consider. Is convention held primarily for the purpose of making impressions? Isn’t it rather an assembling of Thetas for renewing the Theta spirit and love and becoming more closely acquainted with our sisters? Clothes are *not* all-important. The expense of traveling and lodging will be as much of a drain upon pocket-books as most of us will feel we can afford. Let the wardrobe be neglected if you can just get to convention.

The journey to Lake Placid is long for most of us and the stay is short. The amount of baggage to be taken should therefore be carefully considered, and the choice of clothes made accordingly. As to the clothes worn by the guests at Lake Placid, they are mostly the sport clothes usually seen at any summer resort. The following are suggestions: a sport skirt with a blouse or two—a middy is always serviceable—and a light summer or afternoon dress for more formal wear. If one aspires to moun-

tain climbing or revels in tramping, bring along bloomers or knickers. For those who enjoy bathing, a bathing suit is needed. A sweater or heavy wrap will probably be found comfortable for evening wear, for it gets quite chilly up in the mountains.

Finally, remember it is not the quantity and newness of the clothes which you bring with you to convention that is going to count but the spirit itself in which you come.

Rachel Sumner

MUSIC AND OTHER NOTES

Have you seen the fourteen songs that are to sound the keynote of convention? Start learning the new ones now!

Everybody bring your musical instruments—from the brass drum to the tinkling uke. The committee is planning to organize an instrumental club.

The song fest at twilight Sunday, June 25, is to be the first big musical event. Beryl Lewis, Millicent Cowee, and Irene Crooker, all of Chi, are to have charge of the music.

The famous Chi quartette composed of Beryl Lewis, Margaret Elliott, Josephine Smith, and Millicent Cowee will give feature numbers on the big days!

"The singing chapter" is also to present a chorus which will lead all group singing.

And, last but not least, the choir is to be one of the things about convention that you will always remember. It is to be the feature of the beautiful Memorial service.

BAL MASQUE

Iota has a grand and glorious idea that she is bringing to convention for the masquerade ball Monday night.

Here are the details. Just think up and bring with you to Lake Placid, a masquerade costume—any size or shape, as long as you can get into it.

Wherever possible please arrange your costumes in pairs, for instance, Pierrot and Pierrette, or two feminine costumes which are exactly alike.

The decorations will be black and white, and it is hoped that as many as can will wear *black* and *white* costumes. Other colored costumes will not be tabooed, any sort of masquerade being acceptable.

There will be prizes for clever, beautiful, unique, et cetera costumes. The music will be the latest and best jazz orchestra.



SWIMMING HOUR AT LAKESYD BATH HOUSE

The dance floor is fine. Every one invited, both those in costume and without. Don't forget, Monday night, preferably in disguise.

ATHLETIC TOURNAMENT

A feature of the afternoon recreations at convention will be an athletic tournament. Entries open to every one.

If you play golf bring your clubs. If you play tennis bring your racquet and balls. If you enjoy horse-back riding bring your equipment. If you like to "hike" come prepared to join the mountain climbers. If you are fond of fishing bring your tackle and favorite flies. Boating of all types invites your patronage. Don't forget your bathing suits, for all sorts of aquatic sports will be included in the tournament.

If you enjoy any of these sports but don't want to enter the tournament—why that's all right too, for there will be room and time for individual non-competitive games as well as for tournament events. Come prepared to enjoy the out-of-doors fun.

ACTORS, MUSICIANS

Here is your chance to make an official début!

Please, by May 15, each official delegate, send to Miss Elma Hodges, 107 Waverly st. Syracuse, New York, the names and address of coming-to-convention Thetas from your chapter who are talented in either music, stunts, or as readers.

Don't neglect this request! If your talented members fail to get a chance to shine at convention you'll be responsible, Miss or Mrs Delegate.

ASSISTANT SECRETARIES WANTED

The Grand secretary desires to organize a staff of assistant secretaries or reporters, so that an official record may be made of the simultaneously held section meetings and round tables. If you would be willing to serve on such a staff, please write L. Pearle Green, 15 East av. Ithaca, New York, before June 1.

TYPISTS

The registration and credentials committees need the service of at least two Thetas who are speed artists on Corona typewriters. Typewriters furnished by committees. Any Theta (*not* an official delegate) who can do such work and is willing to help this way, please write L. Pearle Green, 15 East av. Ithaca, New York, before June 1.

PICTURES! PICTURES!

Wanted: two volunteer official photographers for convention. The magazine will furnish films, the photographers to furnish cameras and take the pictures. Pictures of not over 4 x 6 preferred. Write for details to L. Pearle Green, 15 East av. Ithaca, New York, before June 1.

HOSTESS COMMITTEES

Executive committees: Syracuse alumnae, Mrs H. S. Chamberlin, chairman; Mrs J. O. Wilson, Mrs Charles Walch, Mrs Thomas Power, Elma Hodges, secretary.

Committee chairmen:

Head marshal: Elma Hodges

Courtesy committee: Mrs J. O. Wilson

Exhibits: Ruth Brown

Editor *Kite*: Elise Beygrau

Information: Mrs Thomas Power

Music: Beryl Lewis

Athletic tournament: Adelaide MacDonald

THETAS MEMBERS OF THE STAFF OF THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS

ROBERTA DU BOSE BARTON, *Alpha Eta*

Robertta Du Bose Barton had a full program of college work. She is now tutor in English at the University of Texas. She began her studies at Kidd-Key, Sherman, Texas, going from there to Vanderbilt, where she took her B.A. degree. A year's work in the Y. W. C. A. training school in New York, a year in the University of Texas and a year at Peabody college at Nashville, Tennessee, where she took an M.A. degree, carried forward her plans. The attaining of Phi Beta Kappa and founders' medal at Vanderbilt are inserts and were not expected at the time of making her plans.

Filling in this ambitious outline of work, development, and learning, came a year's work as student secretary of the south central field for the Y. W. C. A. and service for a number of years on the Texas state board of examiners.

Perhaps the fact that Roberta is the daughter of a minister, Rev H. M. Du Bose, Bishop of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, and wife of Rev K. P. Barton, pastor of the University Methodist church at Austin, but prove the unity of the program.

FANNY PRESTON, *Alpha Theta*

A Theta at all times available to her chapter and ready to listen to its various ailments with an understanding ear is Fanny Preston, now with the faculty of the University of Texas as instructor in Spanish. A painstaking and accurate habit characterized her work in chapter and college and has preserved her as a dependable friend.

Fanny is the eldest of three Theta sisters. Alas, there are no more Prestons! She has both B.A. and M.A. degrees from the University of Texas and has spent several summers studying in Mexico.

Not all work and no play has made Fanny a bright girl but a balance of wholesome athletic and social life have been interspersed with her studies. The Ashbel literary society, Angler social club and Visor, are a few of the outside activities engaged in by this instructor who is among the youngest on the faculty.

ELVA LUCILE BASCOM, *Mu*

Elva Lucile Bascom is adjunct professor of library science at the University of Texas. She not only literally fills her place

on the faculty but her every interest is bent on the development of the consciousness of the need of courses in library science, the promotion of the use of libraries in the south and of the continuity of service in the profession, looking to the betterment of library conditions.

A varied experience in the library profession was brought by Elva Bascom to Texas. She obtained a B.A. degree at Allegheny college and a B.L.S. at the New York State library school. At the latter school she worked in several of its departments and taught in its classes. For five years she edited the official book-selection periodical of the American library association. For five years more she selected the libraries furnished by the Wisconsin state library commission to the study clubs of that state, published an annotated list of the best books of each month for Wisconsin libraries, and taught a course in book selection in the library school of the University of Wisconsin.

There are two books whose authorship belongs to her: *The American library association catalog*, 1904-11, and a guide to book selection for small libraries. These books are used in libraries throughout the country.

Recognition has come to her through membership in a great many important organizations in the North and many more in the South. To name these would be to grow statistical. Phi Beta Kappa was probably the good beginning that started at the close of college. Among other honors have been the editorship of the third edition of the Child welfare bibliography, American medical association, a commission for special work in the Children's bureau at Washington, D. C. and editorial assistant, Chautauqua-Century press.

CORNELIA JOHNSON, *Alpha Theta*

At the loan desk of the library of the University of Texas will be found Cornelia Johnson, third Theta sister of the Johnson family. This year is her first experience on the staff of the university but she has had library work in a number of other interesting places, not least among them camp librarian at several army camps during the recent war.

A year in Columbia university and another year in the New York public library school added to a B.A. degree from the University of Texas, were the foundation for the work Cornelia has found most interesting. Her experience as librarian in the camps at San Antonio and at Marfa, Texas, have perhaps proven the most profitable years.

When in college, athletics were paramount in her campus activities. Basketball, baseball and swimming were her mediums of self-expression outside of the class-room.

RAVENNA WAKEFIELD, Alpha Eta

Ravenna Wakefield, youthful in appearance but wise in experience, is an instructor in French at the University of Texas. Modesty of demeanor is perhaps the cause for a very meager interview with her and the resultant brief sketch of her college activities which have been conducted in America and abroad. These years are no doubt filled with the most interesting details but as Ravenna put it, they were merely years filled with study much as those of any other college girl.

Degrees from Vanderbilt and Columbia, a B.A. from the former and an M.A. from the latter, are honors in America, and a certificate from Merckins institute in Heidelberg, and a diploma from La Guilde internationale in Paris, from abroad. Three years teaching of French in Asheville, North Carolina, one year in New Jersey, and two years at the University of Texas bring her work to the present.

At Texas, Alpha Theta has enjoyed a somewhat close affiliation with Ravenna and feels very proud to introduce her as a Theta to all friends. She is ever ready to back the chapter in its right conduct and has been the source of much pleasure through her stories and interesting experiences related on a number of occasions. Alpha Theta thanks Alpha Eta for Ravenna.

Myrtle Garrett Kiley, Houston alumnae

Working with the working woman. By Cornelia Stratton Parker. Harper and Brothers. 246 pp.

When Mrs Parker answered newspaper advertisements and went in disguise to take jobs in various industries with other working women, she may have been interested in the labor problem, as such; but the book in which she records her experiences discloses a primary interest not in the "problem," but in the human worker. Neither her employers nor her factory mates knew what her purpose was. To them she was merely another woman who had found a job. What she was trying to do was to see factory life as it is today, without regard to wage disputes or the rights or wrongs of unionism or the open shop. Her book is unpretentious and carries conviction of the truthfulness of her presentation.—*Review of reviews*, April, 1922.

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How can a homogeneous fraternity find standards that will satisfy its needs and yet apply to institutions so far-flung and so diverse?

There are various answers, but one is sufficient. It is this—that this North American civilization in which we and our sons are to live will be led by the men who are trained in these institutions or in others similar to them; and it is not a question what we would have done in 1834 with a continent and a social organism such as confronted the founders, but what we shall do now where we are with what we have.

You may believe that the scrutiny given the fraternities by these groups of petitioners before deciding among them is sometimes quite as critical as the survey which the fraternities proceed to make of the petitioners. If Delta U. is worth maintaining and worth wanting a chapter in, it is because Delta U. is able and willing to perform an essential service for the world as we actually find it.

What were the three institutions in which we last established chapters? The list reads almost, though not quite, like the list of three which have been referred to us this year. They were an old Eastern endowed college in a small country town—Wesleyan in Connecticut; a Western State University, Kansas; and a school of science, Carnegie Institute of Technology. *Delta Upsilon Quarterly*.

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A—dollar is the price
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T—hat will aid very much
H—urry—do it now
E—very one of you
T—his is what we need
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ATLANTA THETA CLUB

The Atlanta Theta club has had four meetings since its organization, two in the homes of members.

In January Mrs E. E. Haskell, the president, entertained with a lovely tea at her home at Fort McPherson, where Colonel Haskell is commanding officer. After an enthusiastic business meeting the guests were seated at a beautifully appointed table and served with delicious refreshments.

In March the group met with Mrs E. H. Cone, 288 Prado, for a social afternoon. There was enjoyed a lovely St. Patrick's party with which the hostess surprised us. The decorations of the house, carried throughout the luncheon, were symbolical of the occasion. Competitive games added to the merriment and good fellowship of the eighteen Thetas present. They were: Elizabeth Branch and Emma Gregg, Alpha Delta; Mrs E. H. Cone, Mrs M. L. Hollowell and Dr Mary F. Sweet, Chi; Mrs H. H. Harris, Pi; Mrs E. E. Haskell, Kappa; Mrs Howard Hubbell, Epsilon; Victoria Iler, Gamma; Margaret Colville, Bernice Kaufman and Rhoda Kaufman, Alpha Eta; Maude R. Templeton and Ruth Templeton, Alpha Pi; Anne Stephens, Alpha Tau; Ada Terrell, Miss Sykes and Mrs W. C. Washington, Alpha Theta.

KAPPA ALPHA THETA IN PARIS

A short time ago, the writer received a message from Mrs Dodge, in which the following question especially arrested attention: "Have you met any Thetas in France?" Ah! my friends, would that you all might look in upon the enthusiastic group of Thetas here in Paris! Edna Johnson Girton, sub-chairman for France, has requested an article for the JOURNAL with Mrs Dodge's question as a sort of text, so that all chapters may realize that the black and gold is even dearer to our hearts, if possible, when entwined with the tricolor of France; that the loyal grip has even a deeper significance when mighty seas separate us from our home chapters.

For some months we had cherished the hope of having a Theta tea, but various causes had prevented the accomplishment of this plan, chiefly because the girls are all so fully occupied that it is difficult to find a day when all are at liberty. However, due to the untiring efforts of Hildegarde Hamilton, eleven of us gathered around a cozy table at the American women's club on the afternoon of February 3. To see these bright, earnest, intelligent faces would arouse a thrill of pride in any Theta.

First, there was our distinguished Florence Heywood of Phi, who is well-nigh indispensable in any American enterprise in Paris. She has a marvelous ability to make the wheels go round to the satisfaction of everybody interested, and accomplishes more every hour than almost anybody. Some years ago, she was appointed, by the French department of fine arts, American art lecturer at the Musée du Louvre. Without her, these valuable lectures would probably be discontinued. Where else could be found in one person such knowledge and culture combined with experience, a remarkable gift of expression and inimitable enthusiasm! Almost any day will find her lecturing to a large crowd of Americans, English and French in some part of the famous gallery, every inch of which is familiar ground to her. Her splendid lectures on painters, pictures, sculpture, French furniture, and Italian travel are an institution, an indispensable part of the intellectual life of Paris. She wears a coveted decoration bestowed by the French government, that of "Officier d'Academie" and is never without the Theta symbol. She lives at 44 rue de Fleurus.

There were Ernestine Chase Bradley, Psi (whose home is at 9 rue Marbeau) and Margaret Hingeley Blake, Tau (address 89a Boulevard Houssmann). When asked about their activities,

these two matrons proudly said that they were more than busy bringing up their children and keeping up the home spirit in a foreign land.

Mary Moore Clark, Phi, is to be found at 6 rue de l' Université. She is a permanent resident of Paris but is looking forward to a visit in America some day soon.

Frances E. Dwight, Psi, is studying voice. She may be reached through the American Express.

Marion S. Somly, Alpha Beta, is an earnest student at the International Guild and at the Sorbonne. She expects to return to America in August.

Jessica Morgan, Rho, is living at the charming villa of Madame Colonne at Vaucresson. She is making a serious study of French diction. She is not thinking of returning home for some time to come. (Can be reached through American Express company, Paris.)

Hildegard Hamilton, Chi (12 rue du Pare Royal) is studying art at the Julien studio and taking various courses of lectures at the Sorbonne.

June Sanders, Alpha Sigma (33 Boulevard des Invalides) is exchange boursière at the Lycée Victor Duruy. We were fortunate in having her with us since she is not often accorded the privilege of speaking her native tongue.

Similarly, Elizabeth Nissen, Upsilon, succeeded in obtaining permission to meet with us. She is one of two American fellowship holders in a training school for French teachers. This is the Ecole Supérieure, Sèvres, Seine et vise.

(And the writer, Laura Norton, Eta, who is "doing nothing except attending concerts, opera, theater, lectures and enjoying my French, English and American friends," to quote from the personal note to the editor that accompanied this article.)

For some reason, Betty Gray, Alpha Zeta, who had promised to be with us, was missing. She is spending a year here, studying French.

It was a real cross not to see Edna Johnson Girton, Tau, who recently returned to France after three months in America. She, with her little son George, is now with friends on the Riviera.

Helen Lathrop, Phi, was detained by her duties at the American library, where she has charge of the circulation department and reading-room.

So far as we know, this rounds up the Thetas in Paris. During November and December we were pleased to have Mary Hamilton, Alpha Iota, at all our gatherings. She spent January

on the Riviera and is now in Italy but we hope to see her again in April. (Address, American Express, Paris.)

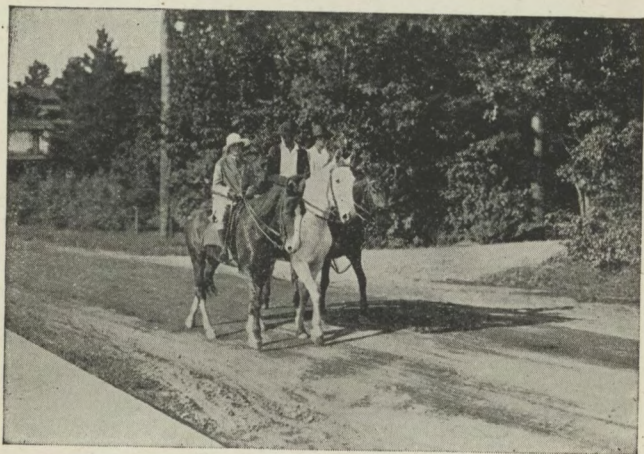
Jane Eyer Smoot, Eta, was here with her husband for over three weeks last September. These indefatigable travelers spent seven months in travel, visiting Egypt, Greece, Italy, Germany, France and England before sailing for home last October.

Mary Lewis, Alpha Iota, is reported to have been in Paris last summer but we failed to get in touch with her.

We are all intensely interested in the College club, a flourishing institution, which meets, a hundred strong, once a month at the beautiful homes of resident members. Our last meeting, a short time ago, was at the artistic apartment of our president, Florence Heywood. We gave a dancing soirée last Friday, February 10, at the Women's club, for the benefit of needy students, refugees from Russia, Armenia and Georgia. We also meet informally every Wednesday around the tea table at the American women's club.

This hospitable club has a beautiful home at 27 Boulevard Malesherbes. In closing, we urge all American women who visit Paris to register at this club, to enjoy there the privilege of luncheons, teas and concerts. There is a special register for college women. We beseech you not to pass us by, not to miss the cordial welcome there awaiting you.

Laura H. Norton, Eta, Chicago alumnae



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WHY CONVENTION?

Why is a fraternity convention?

When your chapter, active or alumnus, elected its delegate to represent it at Pi Kappa Alpha's coming convention at New York, did it occur to you to wonder what it was all about? As your delegate and the rest of you have been deciding on your desires in connection with the convention, have you stopped to think what would come of it?

Perhaps a brief generalization of impressions gained from reading in many fraternity and sorority publications about numerous conventions of our kindred organizations will aid you in your thoughts. After all, one fraternity convention is like another even as old Dr Paddington, the absent-minded Dean of the University of Siwash is like his counterpart, Prof Drew of Bimini college; save indeed for the varying Greek terminology of our organizations and the difference between Dr Paddington's copious Van Dyke and Prof Drewe's gleaming baldness.

Well, a convention ostensibly is for the transaction of business looking towards the better administration of an organization's affairs by its chosen executives in the lengthy interim between sessions. That's about what Congress is for, too, but the difference is that fraternities pretty generally have men as executives who are so devoted to the cause as to need nothing but occasional formal authorization in order to carry on the business harmoniously and properly.

So we can't keep Congress for our analogy. The annual or less frequent gatherings of a myriad commercial and professional groups form a better basis of comparison. They, too, have some formal business, but it is in the getting together of men with a common interest, from all over the land, that the value materializes. And so it is in fraternity gatherings—jovial meetings of young men and men who remain young, though not in years, sworn to lifelong fealty in the bonds of friendship.

The fact that only a small percentage of the membership is in attendance at the convention does not deprive the great mass of members of the benefits, for the returning delegates speedily spread their impressions among their fellows. So it will be when your delegate returns from New York next month and his account will add fuel to the flames of "phi, phi kappa alpha." The actual business of the convention will have made for a more smoothly running fraternity, but that will be a minor consideration, placed next to the teaching of brotherhood.

That is the impression gained from much reading of fraternity convention reports.—H K A *Shield and diamond*.

ATTENTION!

All Special train reservations, whether from Chicago on, or from any point between Chicago and Lake Placid, must be made from—Mr R. B. Holmes, A. G. P. A. Michigan Central railroad, 412, La Salle street station, Chicago, Illinois.

Special train reservations should be made by June 10.

Everyone who is going to convention, whether as officer, delegate, or visitor, must make hotel reservations by writing direct to—Room Clerk, Lake Placid club, Essex county, New York.

Room reservations must be made by June 20.

The first convention session will be at 4 p. m. on Saturday, June 24; convention will close with the banquet on the evening of June 28.

ADDRESSES WANTED

Anyone who can supply the permanent or present address of any of the following Life subscribers to this magazine, will confer a favor by sending such addresses to L. P. Green, 15 East av. Ithaca, N. Y.

Beta: Josephine Hatch
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???: Mrs W. H. Daughtry
 Garnet Ingalsle

WHO'S WHO IN THETA

ADA TERRILL, *Alpha Theta*

The three after-college years of Ada Terrill have been wonder years, filled with romance of the common-place and yet important, the realization of her most imaginative dreams. During her last year at the University of Texas she was student assistant in psychology, in which subject she became thoroughly interested, and took her B.A. degree. There followed an honorary fellowship at the research bureau for retail training, a division of applied psychology at Carnegie Tech in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. Here she studied retail training to be taught in stores and schools. The training included a great deal of actual selling in the larger stores in Pittsburgh and carried with it many humorous incidents. Best of all she says was the day she tried to take a slipper off the foot of a 230-pound woman (no statistics on actual measurements or weight of the foot were given) while the woman was standing. She threw her right on her head. Imagine. She was immediately transferred to another department.

Ada's research problem while in training was to discover the cause of labor turnover in Kauffman's, a large store in Pittsburgh. This took her into the homes of several hundred employees who had left the store. Following this work she was offered a research position in Pittsburgh, but her future plans were already formulated. The following year her work was no less interesting and took her among the girls of ten of the large stores of Birmingham, Alabama, where she taught retail selling.

"This year is the crown of all," she says. "I am principal of the Atlanta opportunity school. In September there were two teachers and three students and in March there were ten teachers and 678 students. Most of these give part time to the school while they hold positions and they are paid by their employers for the time they spend in school." Ada has general supervision of the school and teaches two classes in retail selling.

This opportunity school is one of two in the world, the other being in Denver, Colorado. The people of Atlanta have received the teachers, in the school, royally. Ada has been invited every week to speak at one or two luncheons and says she can now speak without fear or trembling of the knees. According to her own testimony she can even eat the food and then get up and talk.

One foreigner who is learning English said, "I appreciate all you have done for me, why Miss Terrill, you are so good to help us, you are wonderful, you are simply a fallen angel." Another humble fellow is studying English very hard. He has met the one girl and can but stutter in her presence. He hopes with the improvement of his English to be courageous and facile enough to propose to her by June.

It is very refreshing in these days of so much criticism for social conditions to find one who sees so much romance in the boys and girls, old men and old women, who actually form the under-pinning of the business world in which she works. It is indeed wonderful to be young and full of interest in life. Proving just how young Ada is, she has asked advice on returning to Alpha Theta next year, and wants to know if there are not a few girls in the chapter who are twenty-one or twenty-two. She says she is trying to keep young. Picture anyone growing old working with people as she is doing! To accomplish the beguiling of youth to remain she is taking lessons in voice culture, aesthetic dancing and golf.

Myrtle Garrett Kiley, Houston alumnae

ELMINA WHITE, Alpha Sigma

We, of the state of Washington, are very proud of Elmina White and the splendid work she is doing. She was a charter member of Alpha Sigma chapter, where she specialized in home economics. When Lincoln high school was opened in September, 1914, she came to Tacoma to take the position of home economics instructor there, where she also had charge of the lunch room.

A charter member of Tacoma alumnae chapter, she maintained a broad and keen interest in her fraternity, and lent a willing hand to all its activities.

In the fall of 1917 Miss White took up more extensive work in home economics as home demonstration agent of Pierce county, under supervision of the Department of agriculture. In this work she not only aided rural housewives to solve their problems in health and economy scientifically, which was so necessary during the war, but was able to render a great social service through her generous sympathy and understanding of personal problems.

She placed her services on such a workable basis that in her four years' work in the county she was able to cover an almost unbelievable amount of territory with practical help and advice, which the housewives of rural communities could receive in no other way.

As the county is large she has had to travel incessantly to reach every one, but there was no appeal too small to meet with her careful attention, at no matter what hardship and inconvenience to herself.

She not only held group meetings, such as lectures and public demonstrations, but gave personal attention to an inconceivable number of people and their problems, carrying with her that sincere feeling of friendship and sympathy which endeared her to everyone. Her visits were always anticipated with the greatest enthusiasm.

Recently Miss White has been appointed assistant club leader of the state, with headquarters at Pullman. It is with regret that Tacoma and Pierce county give her up, but it is gratifying to know that her exceptional ability has been recognized to such an extent that she has gained a larger field, and that a greater number may now benefit by her service.

HELEN TOPPING

If you see this sign,

HELEN GRENELLE

winking in flaring lights before a New York theater, you should take advantage of the opportunity to witness the dancing of a most accomplished artist. The features of the dancer may be hidden behind a mask, but if you should gain admittance to her dressing room, you might be greatly surprised to meet again Helen Topping, of Kappa chapter.

Miss Topping is but a few years out of college, but the ladder of success which she has climbed entitles her to especial mention.

Kansas City claims her, as her grandfather is a pioneer settler. His large farm was far east of the city limits, but is now entirely encircled by city streets. The granddaughter went to Kansas university, where she became a Theta. Here her ability as a dancer began to display itself when she took important rôles in the May fêtes.

After graduation Miss Topping was a successful aesthetic dancing teacher in Kansas City. Many young matrons and débutantes of today learned their first steps in dancing from this teacher who actually was younger in years than one-half her pupils.

However, her yearning for broader fields and a bigger oppor-

tunity led her to call a family conference which resulted in a stolid opposition on the part of her parents and doting grandfather to her desire to go east and become a professional dancer.

However, to Chicago she went, under the name of Helen Grenelle, her mother's maiden name. She first studied in the Pavley-Oukrainsky school, and then took two courses of their summer work at South Haven, Michigan. Very shortly her dreams began to be realized, for she became a solo dancer with the Chicago Grand opera company, taking part in *Louise* and *Carmen*.

Her engagement was eminently satisfactory, until one day in rehearsal a small, almost swarthy looking man who had been watching her from the rear of the theater, came forward as she left the stage. He introduced himself to her as Morris Gest, the producer of *Chu Chin Chow*, *Aphrodite*, and other spectacular productions.

He had heard of Miss Grenelle's most unusual capabilities, the already brilliant career of one so young in years and in the profession, and so had come to satisfy himself of the true situation. Why? Because, as he told her, other productions which he had in mind called for work of dancers of her kind.

Straightway he offered to pay her expenses if she would go to New York and dance for Fokine, the Russian teacher of ballet dancing. She was in a quandary, for an engagement as solo dancer with the Chicago Grand opera company was not an offer to be picked up every day. The change might mean everything to her, or it might mean nothing. When she learned that Mr Gest was only too glad to pay her expenses to New York and back, taking the chance that her dancing would satisfy the great Fokine, she too decided to take a chance and went to New York.

When she arrived at the theater where Fokine was interviewing aspirants for places in his ballet, she saw girls in all sorts of costumes doing every dancing act imaginable.

Fokine demanded of Miss Grenelle what she could do. The pianist was unable to play the ballet number from *Louise* as she requested, but offered as a substitute to play a waltz. For only an instant was she puzzled, then, she did her *Louise* number to the strains of the old familiar tune. Her remarkable talent straightway displayed itself, and she was engaged, Fokine all unconscious that Gest had sent her to New York. The latter, although slightly irritated that Miss Topping had not told that she came especially recommended, was nevertheless pleased that she had passed the master's test without any backing but the merits of her work.

Her new part was that of solo dancer in the ballet of *Aphrodite*. Miss Topping continued as solo dancer in this production, playing among other cities New York and Chicago. When summer came and the season was closed, she was given a chance to do the Benda mask dances at the Criterion theater. These she did in connection with the first showing of the German motion picture *The Golem*.

With the opening of the new season last fall Miss Topping chose a second season's engagement with *Aphrodite*, although she had promising vaudeville offers. She is ambitious and desirous of advancement, and so made her decision only upon the condition that she be given a speaking part. This even though she was a premiere dancer and not supposed to act, too.

She was given the rôle of "Melitta" in *Aphrodite* and has played that part during this season, carrying also the premiere dancer's rôle in the ballet. The company has toured the entire United States and Canada, from New York and Toronto to the Pacific coast, and she has many an interesting story to tell of her experiences.

From teaching dancing in Kansas City to getting one's name in lights in front of a Broadway theater is a big jump. But a bigger one is becoming a solo dancer with the Chicago Grand opera company the first year after leaving Kansas City and of being given the part of premiere dancer in as stupendous a production as Comstock's and Gest's *Aphrodite* the next two seasons.

Who can foretell the success which may come to our accomplished Theta dancer?

Claudine Gossett, Kansas City alumnae



CORNER OF CHILDREN'S PLAYGROUND

CHAPTER NEWS

No Letters Received from Tau, Alpha Tau, Alpha Psi

ALPHA—DEPAUW UNIVERSITY

We have been looking forward to our initiation and banquet all year. It was held March 18, when twelve girls were initiated: Cornelia Allen, Aurelia Adams, Myrtle Ashburn, Grace Beebee, Rachel Benton, Esther Alice Green, Caroline Gauld, Virginia Graves, Davida Gardner, Mary Iliff, Sara Miller, and Josephine Wilson. Grace M. Philputt, District president, was a guest.

Our spring house-party will be the week-end of May 6.

Caroline Gauld '25 is a new member of the University choir.

George R. Grose, president of the university, has just returned from a four-months' tour of China, where he went to collect material for a biography of Bishop Bashford.

February 1-2 the chapter house cared for nine orphan girls following the complete destruction by fire of the Allison orphans' home.

Fourteen members will receive diplomas this June: Ruth Ralston, Ruth Stone, Evelyn Wylie, Anna Marie McDermond, Elizabeth Lockridge, Margaret Garry, Margaret George, Elizabeth Best, Mary Walkup, Martha Eldridge, Dorothy Ritter, Marcia Hough, Jeanette Benedict, and Elizabeth Daggy.

20 March 1922

Helen Shafer

'20 Dr and Mrs Albert Welch (Margaret Laughlin) of Chicago, announce the birth of a daughter, Margaret L.

'12 Mr and Mrs Orus Life (Hazel Garretson) of Kokomo, announce the birth of a daughter, Joan.

'17 Mr and Mrs Irving Shields (Rachel Williams) of Greenfield, announce the birth of a daughter.

'20 Mr and Mrs William Hatfield (Agnes Joyner) of Bedford, announce the birth of a daughter, Abbie.

BETA—INDIANA UNIVERSITY

Initiation February 22 was most impressive. We were very fortunate to be able to initiate all our pledges: Helen Clark,

Josephine Cowgill, Genevieve Burger, Florence Hammond, Eilleen Mahony, Katherine Rice, Helen Thomas, Mary Frances Wertz, and Ruth Williamson. We were glad to have with us representatives from Alpha, Gamma and Alpha Chi chapters. A formal banquet followed the ceremony.

Phi Mu received the Panhellenic scholarship cup for last semester. Theta was a very close second with an average .75% lower than Phi Mu.

Alpha Chi Omega will install a chapter here in the near future. This will give Indiana university a total of ten national women's fraternities. Our Panhellenic is encouraging more national fraternities to establish chapters at Indiana university.

Panhellenic has adopted a system of fraternity exchange dinners semi-monthly: while Panhellenic bridge parties also further friendship between fraternities.

The Theta alumnae club of Bloomington entertained the college chapter with a delightful party at the home of Mrs. B. D. Meyers. We are now planning a bridge party for the alumnae and also a party for their children.

Our formal dance was March 3, in the Trophy room of the men's gymnasium. We are planning another dance for May 12.

We did not realize that there could be so much college spirit at Indiana university as was manifested in the recent million dollar memorial campaign. The drive started Tuesday evening and by midnight on Wednesday the campus had gone over the top with more than its quota of \$400,000.00 subscribed. A great deal of the success of the drive was due to the work of one of our girls, Elizabeth Johnston, who was chairman of the Women's committees. As soon as we went over the top there was a big midnight celebration on the campus and we were granted an unexpected vacation of three days.

This campus drive seemed to give impetus to the selling of bonds for our new Theta house, so that in one night the chapter pledged \$4,000.00 toward a new house this fall. Fall in line, alumnae!

For the benefit of the Memorial fund, an original musical comedy, *The Jordan river revue*, was staged by the students. Katherine Rice wrote the words of all the songs; Katherine Wyatt took one of the leading parts, and there were ten other Thetas in the choruses. The play was such a success that it will be given in Indianapolis, April 11.

Katherine Rice took the leading part in the operetta, *Prince Sprite*, given by the Girls' glee club. Katherine Wyatt is in charge of the County Fair to be given by the Y. W. C. A.

We are very proud of Indiana university's baseball team which is to play in Japan this spring.

28 March 1922

Victoria Gross

Guests for our formal dance were: Mildred Parr, Helen Shafer, Margaret Garry, Mary Iliff, and Dorothy Wiese from Alpha; Helen Gilbert, Edna Lee Hind, Lucile White, and Julia Fennell, all Beta '21.

Guests for initiation were: Marjorie Levi, Mary Louise Bliss, Mrs Lulu Hare, and Marie Riemen Orton from Psi.

'23 Edith Mood has withdrawn from college on account of illness.

'22 Jeanette Vorhis is spending the winter in Fla.

'19 Elizabeth Trook was married in March to Dr Norman Beyers of Bedford.

'22 Dale Heylman visited the chapter for several days.

Dorothy Henderson, now at Omega, made Phi Beta Kappa at the University of California.

Elizabeth Snodgrass, now at Iota, wears the bracelet given to the girl who makes the highest average in the chapter.

Virginia Box, Alpha Tau, was our guest for the week-end of Feb. 22.

GAMMA—BUTLER COLLEGE

Initiation was February 13 for Mary Bear, Lela Kercheval, Esther Duckwall, Martha Meritt, Velma Gentry, Leora Floyd, Ruth McKinzie, Edith Fitzgerald, and Virginia Reyer. There were representatives with us at that time from the other colleges in the district. Gamma also announces the pledging of Katherine Gould and Gertrude Dithmer, both of Indianapolis.

The freshmen entertained the chapter with a dance March 25. It was a lovely dance and they proved such charming hostesses that we are confident Gamma's future as far as social affairs are concerned, will be very successful. The favors consisted of small pipes for the men and handpainted vanity cases for the girls.

We gave a spread at the chapter house March 21, at which we had a representative from each women's fraternity at Butler. This is but the first spread which we plan to give in an effort to promote a more democratic spirit among the girls on the campus.

We are all looking forward to convention, a number of us planning to go.

We are very proud of Florence Hoover, who was chosen as one of four girls in the United States to speak at the national convention of the Y. W. C. A. at Hot Springs in April.

28 March 1922

Margaret Wolfard

'24 Velma Gentry is engaged to Malcolm Thompson, K Σ.

'25 Dorothea Reisener announces her engagement to Louis Hensley, Σ X.

'23 Freda Arthur is our new affiliate from De Pauw.

'23 Mary Payne was elected president of the Y. W. C. A. and Florence Hoover is on the Cabinet as chairman of the Industrial committee.

'23 Rosalee Baker is engaged to Philip Spong, Δ T Δ.

Alice Edna Walsh will go to Purdue April 1 to attend their initiation.

Married: Rhoda Elisabeth Trook and Dr Norman Roy Byers, Mar. 15.

At home after Apr. 15, Bedford, Ind.

DELTA—UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS

Since the last letter, Delta has initiated nine of her ten pledges: one of them, Molly Griffin, is a Theta daughter; one, Helen Herrick, is a sister; and Dorothy Dobbins, Erma Edmiston, Ruth Franklin, Helen Prettyman, Nevada Murray, Margaret Bassett, and Donna Thompson. Initiation was February 17, followed by our banquet the same night. Mrs. Griffin was toast-mistress, our toasts *The Theta garden*.

March 4 we had our formal, which was a great success. We had dinner at the chapter house, and as Illinois played Chicago basketball we all went en masse to the game, then across the street from the house to the Woman's building, where we danced.

We were greatly interested in the scholastic report as we had two straight "A" students, Mary Agnes Showalter and Betty Ruth Burtis, and no "E" students. We came fourth out of twenty-two fraternities.

Mary Hart is our new president, and we hope for a very successful year under her guidance. Besides being president of the house, she is treasurer of the Woman's league; so we are very proud of her.

We have a number of girls on athletic teams this year. Harriet Copley and Julia Thompson made the first senior basketball team, and Margaret Kelly made the second team. Jacqueline Thompson made the first sophomore basketball team, and Nevada Murray the second team for the freshmen. Jacqueline Thompson and Harriet Copley were also members of their class swimming teams. In addition, Harriet Copley won the Red Cross life saving emblem and is "mate" of the Illinois chapter.

Edith Shaw was recently initiated into Kappa Delta Pi, education fraternity. Aenid Tankersley made Alethenai literary society, and Janet Kinley, Mask and Bauble. Mildred Herrick is secretary of Alethenai and also our delegate to convention.

27 March 1922

Jacqueline Thompson

'22 Edith Lill is to be married Apr. 29.

Juanita Richardson is married.

Mary Copley and Nancy Browning are teaching in Danville.

'23 Margaret Cobb has left college and is at home, but plans to be back next year.

Mabel Hollembeck is back in college.

Addie Amsbary is attending Moser's Business college in Chicago.

'19 Married: Harriet McCormick and Jack Zimmerman, A Δ Φ.

ETA—UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

At the end of the first semester we pledged Ruth Werkheiser '23, Findlay, Ohio.

In the middle of February Mrs A. M. Highley entertained us at a delightful informal tea.

Initiation came February 25. The new Thetas are: Gladys Trowbridge, Claire Shinnick, Jeane Briggs, Florence Johnston, Edith Bishop, Martha Schneider, Elsa Ohlmacher, Margaret Hays, Mary Ellen Read, Katherine Elizabeth Styer, Dolloff Brayton, and Ruth Werkheiser. More guests were at the banquet than ever before, so festivities were accordingly more jolly. Things were enlivened by Elizabeth Avery's engagement announcement, and our gift of a new door plate from one of our patronesses, Mrs Ladd. Afterwards, to our glee the initiates repeated some of their original songs.

The following week-end all of the girls who had been pledged this year gave an informal dance for the rest of us. The house was decorated beautifully with daffodils and ferns; the programs too deserve mention. That was Friday. On Saturday those who could lunched with the Detroit alumnae, at their invitation, at the Hotel Statler, in celebration of Founders'-day.

March 11 we gave a bridge party for the benefit of the Women's league.

Frances Swain has been elected to Stylus, honorary society for women interested in writing, and has received news of her appointment to a scholarship in a French lycee for next year. She sails in September.

Dorothy Bean has been elected to the Y. W. C. A. Cabinet.

March 23 to 25 this year's junior Girls' play, *Scepter and serenade*, eclipsed its predecessors. Incidentally, Elsa Oiesen was chairman, Ruth Werkheiser a lead (we think she sings and acts beautifully), and Mary Ellen Read and Dorothy Bean were also in the cast. Proceeds went to the League.

30 March 1922

Frances Swain

'23 Alice MacDonald was married to Russell J. McLauchlin Feb. 8. They are now living in Detroit.

'19 Elizabeth Avery announced her engagement to Ward J. Sickler, A T Ω, Feb. 25.

'21 Jean Wallace visited us the week-end Mar. 18.

'16 Beatrice Lambrecht has returned from Europe, and visited us Mar. 26.

Mr and Mrs Ernst Van Loebensels (Eleanor Davis, Omega) have returned to Ann Arbor from N. Y. and N. J.

IOTA—CORNELL UNIVERSITY

Iota has been extremely unfortunate this year in the loss of three initiates because of ill health. Marion Luce was obliged to leave college for the term, and Ora Ford and Margaret Holmes have gone home until after spring vacation. The most important event of the year was our big initiation. March 4 we initiated Edith Severance '23; Hannah Lyons and Ruth Thomas '24; Ora Ford, Devere Porter, Frances Waite, Margaret Holmes, a sister of Jean Stanton Holmes, and Ellen Wing, a sister of Lois Wing Burrell, all freshmen.

Fifty Thetas celebrated the occasion by a banquet at Forest Home. Madeleine Church Reid proved herself a fine toast-mistress. Anne Kerr Wing read greetings to the initiates from a number of alumnae who were unable to be present. A poem sent by Abbie Potts mentioning each individual initiate by name made them feel the close friendship that exists between all Thetas. Other toasts were given by Mrs Edwards, who spoke on the *Fraternity*, Gretel Schenk, *To the initiates*, and Katherine Keiper, who bestowed Iota's bib upon our new baby, Ora Ford. Mrs Anna Botsford Comstock gave the *Benedicite*. Several alumnae returned from out of town to be with us: Jean Holmes Stanton, Anne Kerr Wing, Lois Webster, and Carol Curtis.

The scholarship bracelet was awarded to Ellen Wing for having the highest average first semester.

Student government elections were held March 21. Edith Severance was elected president of Dramatic club, and Louise Kreuter '24 president of her class. Hannah Lyons and Louise Kreuter both made the junior society, Raven and Serpent. Five of our girls are out for crew. Mrs Stephanie Marks Curtis, Gladys Gilkey and Katherine Duddy have visited the house.

31 March 1922

Evelyn E. Folks

'85 Mrs Anna Botsford Comstock has been nominated to serve on the Board of trustees of Cornell university. Elections will be held in June.

Born: To Ellen Marx Stearns, March 11, a daughter, Mildred Fred-erica. Died: Ellen Marx Stearns, March 19, of scarlet fever.

Rebecca Harris is working in Washington, D. C. Address: National Research council, 1701 Massachusetts av. Washington, D. C.

'20 Lois Webster is working temporarily in the Alumni secretary's office, Morrill Hall, Ithaca, N. Y.

'21 Katherine Duddy has given up her position in the Chase national bank and is now teaching in New York City.

KAPPA—KANSAS UNIVERSITY

After a strenuous week during which the freshmen were made to feel keenly their position by such things as speaking only when spoken to, entering the house by the side door, and being ready at all times to give extemporaneous speeches apropos of nothing, we held initiation for ten, out of thirteen pledges, with a scholarship standard of "C" or better, February 18: Elizabeth Mead, Elizabeth Moore, Margaret Drake, Frances Edna Wright, Louise Kessler, Helen May Marcy, Dorothy Dillaway, Kathryn Miller, Lucy Lindley and Laura Rankin.

At our Founders'-day banquet, given by the *alumnæ*, we learned many interesting things about early days in the house when we were yet a local. Visiting Thetas from Iota, Lambda, Alpha Omicron, and Rho delighted us with stories of their college days.

There was no one in the house more delighted than was Katch herself when we all read in the *Daily Kansan*, "Kathryn Challiss, Phi Beta Kappa." We have had a possessor of the key each of the past seven years. Other honors during the past two months are the election of four girls to the Dramatic club, Mary Brown, Sue Moody, Clare Ferguson and Virginia Haynes, three girls chosen on class hockey and basketball teams, eight girls elected to French circle, three to Pen and Scroll, junior Quill club, and one, Virginia Haynes, to Sigma Tau, dancing fraternity. Recently we had eleven girls in a Style show put on by the woman's student government association.

A new system of rushing has been adopted by Panhellenic whereby there shall be no all-night dates, no cars used in rushing, no fraternity girls seen outside of the chapter house with rushees, a five-day rushing season, and expenses limited to \$150.00. It is hoped thus to help the difficult situation.

28 March 1922

Clare Ferguson

'13 Helen Topping visited us a few hours last month when on her vacation. As Helen Grenelle she is the solo dancer in *Aphrodite*.

The following *alumnæ* spent the last week-end with us: Janet Atkinson, Gene Phillips, Ruth Saunders, Alfretta Bierer, and Teresa Tummel Train (Mrs Robert).

Dorothy Riddle Burkholder, who is visiting her mother at Palm Beach, Fla. plans to stop and see us in the spring.

'14 Dorothy Miller is continuing her social settlement work in Chicago but will be transferred after July.

'18 Mr and Mrs Robert Pyle (Helen Robinson) announce the birth of a son, Albert, jr. Address: Salina, Kan.

'17 Naomi Simpson is teaching in a private school in Cuba and writes she is having a wonderful time.

'17 Mr and Mrs Giles Maxwell (Ruth Harger) announce the birth of a daughter. Address: 201 Parkwood blvd. Schenectady, N. Y.

'21 Catherine Myers has a position with the *Detroit Free Press* and is enjoying her work. She plans to visit the chapter Easter time.

Mrs Albert M. Root (Carol McNutt) has a baby son. Address: William, Ariz.

'20 Marcella Chalkley has gone to stay two years with her mother and sister in England and France. As Marcella has majored in French and plans to take up tutoring, this is an invaluable opportunity for her.

LAMBDA—UNIVERSITY OF VERMONT

Every Lambda Theta received a thrill last month that she will not forget for some time because Lambda has bought a house. It is an extraordinarily nice house, too, and we all feel in a three-rousing-cheer mood. Considering that we are the first women's fraternity on the hill to have a chapter house, we are justly proud. We are taking possession immediately. We are all most grateful to our alumnæ who have worked unceasingly to make a chapter house from a very hazy dream into a decided reality. The house is large and probably the upper-classmen will live there next year. The house is admirably suited to our needs and all of us are living up in the clouds these days.

February 18 we initiated Mary Louise Griffith, Dorothy Hefflon, Evelyn Metcalf, Frances Stone, and Selma Strong. Following initiation we held a banquet at the New Sherwood hotel, at which Edith Holdstock '17 officiated as toastmistress. We all had a gloriously happy time.

The Monday following the chapter gave an entertainment to relatives and alumnæ at the rooms. It was a great success and the chapter house fund was swelled by the addition of seven five-dollar shares, the proceeds of the afternoon.

We repledged Anna Brush '25 and initiated her March 2. We have also recently pledged Irene Allen '25 and Harriet Vernon '24.

We enjoyed the chocolates which announced the engagement of Hilda Woodruff '23 to Howard Sunderland '22.

All of us are looking forward to convention with great anticipation. The chapter is planning to attend en masse and

every day brings in news of recruits from the alumnae. We are predicting the best convention ever.

30 March 1922

Eleanor Hutton

'20 Natalie Noyes is attending the Emerson school of oratory in Boston.

'21 Helen Stiles is convalescing from an attack of scarlet fever.

'22 Mae Fullington is teaching in Peacham, Vt.

'22 Bertha Williams is attending the Baypath institute in Springfield, Mass.

Louise Tower Staples (Mrs Warren) has a daughter, born Mar. 14.

Ruth Adams Tuckerman (Mrs Frank B.) has a second daughter, Ruth Barbara.

Nina Shepardson Merrill (Mrs Robert) spent part of February in Burlington, visiting the chapter several times. Edith Coulman, Helen Daniels Robinson (Mrs Lloyd C.) and Annie Leavens Manchee (Mrs W. A.) were here for initiation.

Bernice Bartlett Borrmann (Mrs W. F.) has a daughter, Anna Ada, born Sept. 10, 1921. Address: Soochow Academy, Soochow, China.

Helen Barker Albert has a son, born recently.

MU—ALLEGHENY COLLEGE

Saturday, February 11, Mu initiated Maybelle Andrews of Conneaut Lake; Elizabeth Arnold and Irene Colbert of Pittsburgh; Elizabeth Brakeman and Frances Goodnough of Erie; Elizabeth Bates and Margaret Webb of Meadville; Dorothy Davidson of Louisville, Kentucky; Katherine Haines of Warren, Ohio; Grace Hilderbrand of Wampum; and Eleanore Taylor of Chautauqua, New York. Two Theta sisters and four Theta daughters are in this list. Maybelle Andrews is the sister of Helen Andrews; Grace Hilderbrand of Mary Hilderbrand; Elizabeth Bates is the daughter of Marion Sackett Bates; Margaret Webb of Josephine Bates Webb; Elizabeth Brakeman of Edna Hayse Brakeman; and Eleanore Taylor of Letitia Trace Taylor.

Sunday morning after initiation, according to long established custom, the chapter served breakfast in the rooms to the visiting alumnae and the initiates. Twenty-eight alumnae were back, making the week-end one long to be remembered.

To instil a more democratic spirit between fraternities in the hall, it was suggested that we entertain other fraternity chapters after business meetings Saturday evenings. Our first guests were the Kappa Kappa Gamma girls on March 4. On March 11 we entertained the Alpha Chi Omega chapter, and on March 25 the Alpha Gamma Delta chapter visited us. The freshmen furnish a stunt, then come refreshments, after which the remainder of the evening is spent in dancing.

Recently Carl Sandburg and Vachel Lindsay gave recitals here. Then, Dr. Sherwood Eddy, the famous Y. M. C. A. worker, presented a series of lectures upon the problems of to-day. The fact that the chapel was well filled for every lecture proves that Dr Eddy is speaking upon topics of vital interest to all college students.

28 March 1922

Eleanore Taylor

Alumnæ back for initiation were: Muza Anchors, Augusta Gibbons, Florence Gibbons, Virginia Lewis, Elizabeth Carew, Margaret Blass, Mary Hilderbrand, Florence Poppenhagen, Harriet Dunn, Ruth Townley, Agnes Robinson, Inez Braumbaugh, Margaret Cleveland, Faye Barnes, Elizabeth McClaren, Katherine Morrow, Florence Griswold, Gertrude Stuntz, Helen Andrews, Mary Flahaven, Helen Adams, Edna Hayse Brakeman (Mrs William), Letitia Trace Taylor (Mrs Charles C.), Belle L. Bartholomew Pratt (Mrs W. H.), Josephine Bates Webb (Mrs Curtis L.), Marian Sackett Bates (Mrs Walter L.), Rebecca Cooper, Norene Saxon Norton (Mrs L. M.), Alice Hawkey Wilbur (Mrs James), Helen Miller Showers (Mrs D. C.).

Mr and Mrs Horace Lavery (Gertrude Hillman) announce the birth of their third son. Address: Kin Kiang, China.

OMICRON—UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

Founders'-day banquet was the largest event of the year. It was given by the Los Angeles alumnæ at the Mary Louise tea room January 28. Omicron was well represented by most of the chapter and many alumnæ. Besides many representatives from Phi and Omega, we had the opportunity to meet Thetas from several distant chapters. We were most fortunate in having with us ex-Grand president, Marian Whipple Garrettson, San Diego, who acted as toastmistress.

Initiation was held at the chapter house February 22 for Loraine Keim, Maxine Miller, Helen Enloe, Marian Coppes, Anita McNamee, Mildred Nicholas (sister of Lucile), Martha Smith (sister of Cassieta and Virginia). Several alumnæ witnessed the ceremony and we were pleased to have six attend the banquet, which followed immediately after at the Mary Louise tea room. The initiates each responded to a toast given by upperclassmen.

The following afternoon the chapter gave a delightful tea in honor of the initiates. The mothers, faculty, and all men's and women's fraternities were invited. We were assisted by some of the alumnæ.

The chapter entertained with an informal dance at the chapter house February 11. The house was decorated very effectively in Japanese lanterns and bamboo.

Since the last letter, Delta Gamma has been installed on the campus. We are all very glad to welcome another national. Omicron is entertaining the new chapter at an informal tea April 6.

March 24-25 was the University Service campaign to support a U. S. C. man who is in the University of Pekin, China. Over \$2,500.00 was raised.

25 March 1922

Mary Thompson

Married: Marian Neuls and William Lower, Φ A, Mar. 31.

Hope Metcalf announced her engagement to Mansford Barnes, Σ X.

Venus Wilson announced the date of her marriage to Henry Jordan to be Apr. 6.

Kitty Craig is with us again from Tau.

Thelma Estes returned to U. S. C. after a semester at Texas university.

Florence Morris, Gladys Neuffer, Ethel Ogden and Cassieta Smith did not return to college this semester.

Born: to Mr and Mrs Douglas Richardson (Cecil Flewelling) a daughter, Jane.

RHO—UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA

"Spring has come!" Good-bye goloshes, and howdy bright scarfs, felt hats and cream-colored hosiery! We are back from vacation with last year's clothes remodeled, and are effervescing with a world of enthusiasm for—almost anything.

Our house still shines from the scrubbing it received March 4 from our hard-worked freshmen. They have forgotten that, though; for the next Saturday they were strutting around like pigeons, with the cherished kite over their beating hearts and corsages at their belts. That evening, too, we made them forget their troubles still further by a banquet at the Lincoln hotel. A smaller-than-usual banquet it was, with toasts and such formalities omitted; as all fraternities have decided to have their big banquets Alumni Week, in June. At that time all alumni are coming back, if they can, to show that they are still loyal Cornhuskers.

March 18 we gave our formal, also at the Lincoln. A dress-up affair is not always enjoyable. Arms feel so long without sleeves, and stiff shirt fronts—so they say—are beastly. But ours was the exception. Among one-hundred-and-fifty people there—there was not a bored face, not a suppressed sigh. The famous Southern Rag o' Jazz made our toes itch if we stood still. Even during the very fast one-steps every one was on the floor.

Betty Riddell has been elected Y. W. C. A. secretary for next year. Frances Burt played the leading rôle in Barrie's play,

What every woman knows. De Maris Stout took part in the American Legion *Revue*. Four Thetas are in the Lincoln Junior League *Revue* which is to take place April 17-18.

And now—we are eagerly discussing convention, and are envying those lucky ones that are going.

6 April 1922

Frances Bent

Dorothy Lynn, Ruth Wilson, Loa Howard, Alyne O'Laughlin, Helen Quinn, and Helen Daniels returned for our banquet. The latter two remained for the formal.

'23 Mary Temple announced her engagement to Schell Harmon, A T O.

'24 Emma Cross did not return after vacation.

SIGMA—UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO

Sigma was delighted to have Miss Helen Wright, District president, as a guest for a few days in March. We decided to entertain her in small groups, each year giving a party separately, in order that we might get to know her individually. Representatives from the other women's fraternities were invited to meet her at tea. The alumnae chapter held its monthly meeting while she was here and also gave an informal dinner in her honor. Both college and alumnae chapters feel benefited by Miss Wright's advice and constructive criticism.

We have also had an opportunity of meeting the Pi Beta Phi Grand secretary, and Miss Moulding, the Alpha Phi visiting delegate, and were much interested in their different viewpoints and suggestions.

The hockey season has brought us two championships this year. The varsity team defeated McGill and Queen's, and the women's team carried off the honors in the first women's inter-collegiate hockey contest. Adelaide Macdonald '22 was captain and goal on the victorious team, and Molly Donaldson played left wing. Molly is also on the college basketball team.

House-party is the next important chapter event. Most of the college chapter and many of the grads are looking forward to spending ten happy care free days between examinations and Convocation at Elsie Raikes' home on Lake Simcoe.

And then Convention! Many are the plans and desires voiced for that occasion.

31 March 1922

Elizabeth Walton

TAU—NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY

No letter received. 8 April 1922

UPSILON—UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA

Convention is a thought which has an important place in all our minds. We are interested in the scrap book which Caroline Fraser is to take with her. There is much laughter, and not a little sighing, as we unearth pictures of our house-party, or programs of our dances, to add to her collection.

March 18 many of us had the pleasure of attending a luncheon given by the alumnae of the Twin Cities for Marjorie Maxwell. Miss Maxwell, Alpha Nu, is a member of the Chicago Grand opera company.

We have a new pledge this quarter: Sue Mason of St. Paul. Our freshmen have been studying so hard this quarter that we hope to initiate most of them soon.

The annual Penny Carnival was staged by W. A. A. this month in the women's gymnasium. Before the Carnival the intersorority basketball game was played between Chi Omega and Alpha Phi for the championship. Chi Omega won by a small margin. At the Carnival itself each women's fraternity, and many another women's organization, had charge of a booth. In the Theta booth, which won first place, Mildred Rennoe and Margaret Jackson drew Shadow Portraits, while Elizabeth Healey amused the subjects by character analysis.

The annual Panhellenic banquet is to be some time next month. We are looking forward to this banquet, for it really serves its purpose of uniting the women's fraternities more strongly. Some of last year's cleverest stunts were put on at the Panhellenic banquet.

Elizabeth Dolsen gave a piano recital with the University Symphony orchestra in March. Elizabeth graduates from the School of music this spring. She is one of a hundred musicians in the United States to win a scholarship to study music in France. She sails July 14 for Fontainebleau, where she will spend the summer. We are very proud of her, and we expect great things from her in the future.

Besides Elizabeth Dolsen, there are Vivian Drenckhahn, Margaret Jackson, Bergliot Nissen, Josephine Hamblin and Hester McLean who graduate this spring.

Helen Baldwin was elected to the sophomore basketball team. Jane Sedgwick was highly praised by the *Tribune's* dramatic critic, for her character part in *David Garrick*.

29 March 1922

Helen Jackson

Margaret Mumford, our District president, was married to Dr M. Gordon Neale, Mar. 22, at Columbia, Mo. They will live in the Riverview apts. Delaware st. Minneapolis.

Margaret Diel has announced her engagement to Phillip J. Worester.

Florence Dale announces her engagement to Curtiss Pratt of Minneapolis.

ex-'22 Marjory Round is assistant to the principal in one of the Minneapolis public schools.

PHI—STANFORD UNIVERSITY

This has been a busy quarter on the Stanford campus. In March, for the first time in several years, Hammer and Coffin society turned over to Theta Sigma Phi the task of editing *The Chapparral*, our monthly comic magazine. With Bertha Vaughan as editor-in-chief and Mary Jane Clark as business director, the *Feminine Fling*—as the issue was entitled, was most successful. Dorothy Quigley and Katherine Calhoun were among the contributors.

Phyllis Hyatt had a part in our latest dramatic production, *If I were king*, which was presented by English club March 8. We are now looking forward to the Spring Pageant and the Junior opera. Ivo Copeland is on the Junior opera committee; and Mary Jane Clark is in charge of publicity for the Pageant which is to be given by the Stanford women May 6, and in which it is hoped every woman student will participate.

Preparations are already under way for the senior festivities in June; Bertha Vaughan and Dorothy Quigley are on the Senior ball committee and Mary Jane Clark is to work on the Senior farce.

Ruth Lee Spilman '24, who will return to college after a year's absence, was elected secretary of Y. W. C. A. at the close of the quarter.

March 16, at a delightfully green dinner, whose purpose was unsuspected by all but one or two of us, Katherine Calhoun announced the engagement of her sister Ellen Calhoun to Dale Van Every. Ellen and Dale both graduated from Stanford with the class of '20, and have since been in New York. With this exciting news as an inspiration to gaiety, the seniors entertained the house at a dress-up room-party later in the evening; Mildred Maurer's appearance as a Zulu fairy, winged with palm fronds, was the sensation of the evening.

We are expecting Miriam Hilton and Margaret Howard, who have both been out of college, to be with us again in April when we return to work.

27 March 1922

Elizabeth Spilman

'18 Grace Rossiter was married Dec. 22 to Everett L. Burch.

'19 Frances Amelia Brown was married Mar. 18 to Robert N. Wenzell.

'19 Florence Bills was married Feb. 24 to Clarence Breuner.

- '21 Ellen Calhoun has announced her engagement to Dale Van Every.
 '22 Esther Flowers has opened an art shop in Pasadena.

CHI—SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY

Spring has brought with it a multitude of activities, both on the hill and within Chi itself. Initiation of ten freshmen and one sophomore March 3 was the first big chapter event. Banquet was held the following night with Dorothy Tallman '22 as toast-mistress.

A week later an interclass song contest was held, in which the freshmen were victors. As a reward they will be given a bat by the other three classes. Formal pledging for Angeline Schultz '25 was held March 24. Following chapter meeting that evening we were entertained by the Alpha Phis. We gave our first spring rushing tea for city girls March 25, and entertained the Kappa Kappa Gammas at an informal party Friday, March 31. Miriam Linville '24 has been elected as delegate to convention, Marylyn Emond '23 convention captain, and Dorothy Robertson '22 chairman of convention exhibition committee.

Military ball was the initial spring affair on the hill. Practically every Theta was there. Election honors included—as president of Women's athletic association, Katharine Wells '23; basketball representative and assistant chief executive of sophomore organization, Alice Brevoort '24. Ruth Brown '22 has been elected to Phi Beta Kappa, Winona English '23 to Pi Lambda Theta. Dorothy Tallman '22 has been initiated into Boar's Head. Anna Joyce '25 has charge of the stunts for the freshman circus. Winifred Tuttle '22 received high commendation for a cover of a recent issue of the *Orange Peel*. Elise Beygrau '22 has had the honor of having a story published in the *Phoenix*, a college literary publication. Doris Stillman '25 is an assistant reporter of the *Daily Orange* and has been retained for a chorus of Tambourine and Bones production.

At a recent Panhellenic meeting preferential bidding was passed. Plans for a Panhellenic banquet were also made.

22 March 1922

Katharine Wells

'15 Born: to Mr and Mrs Charles Earle Bates (Eunice Congdon) a son, Bruce Stanley, Feb. 3.

'19 Helen Hutchinson has announced her engagement to Leonard Wood.

'18 Helen Volckmann has announced her engagement to Walker Miles, A T Ω , Colgate.

'22 Ruth Brown has announced her engagement to Elton W. Lance, $\Delta \Psi$, University of Vermont.

PSI—UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN

This is the month of outside activities it seems. Theta took second place in the intersorority relay race in the annual ice carnival, February 11.

Helen Double '22 and Marjorie Boesch '22 were elected to Pi Epsilon Delta, dramatic society. Helen Cheetham '22 was elected to Omicron Nu, home economics society, and Maude Killam '23 to Alpha Gamma Pi, commerce. Ima Winchell '22 and Maude Killam '23 were elected to Phi Kappa Phi, all-university honorary society—basis scholarship and activities. Wilma Trost '23, Dorothy Williams '24, and Elizabeth Tompkins '25 made their class baseball teams, and Mary Roach '22, Ima Winchell '22, Belle Knights '23, and Jeanette Cherry '24 made class basketball teams. Florence Mahorney '22, Edith Hess '23, and Maude Killam '23 are on the bowling teams, and Marion Guild '25 made the swimming team. Helen Cheetham '22 and Janet Cumming '24 were elected to Orchesus, dancing society.

Phyllis Sherman '25, whose sister is a member of Rho, was pledged at the beginning of this semester. Honor initiation was held March 12 for Marion Guild of Kansas City, Elizabeth Brown of St. Louis, Helen Reinholdt of Pasadena, California, and Ida Atkinson of Eau Claire.

A new stewardess department plan has been adopted, dividing this department into three separate functions as follows: buyer, Gertrude Collins '23; dietitian, Sophie Steiger '24; housekeeper in commissary department, Beatrice Turner '23.

A chapter spell-down was held March 13, of which Jeanette Cherry was the winner.

Mrs Wm. N. Powers, of Tau, gave a delightful tea for our seniors.

The pledges gave a dance for the chapter January 7. Black and white motifs prevailed, and the chapter house was transformed into a veritable snow scene—even the man in the moon was not lacking.

February 21 a George Washington dance was held at the chapter house. Our annual formal will be April 1, an April Fool dance being the feature of the party.

The junior stunt this year was a take off on our annual Union Vodvil, and it proved to be quite screaming. The freshmen will give their stunt March 27.

27 March 1922

Belle Knights

OMEGA—UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

A dark cloud is hovering over the campus in the form of examination schedules—in fact the thought uppermost in everyone's mind is "finals are upon us." Finals and Phi Beta Kappas seem to go very well together. Dorothy Wright and Dorothy Henderson, both of the '21 class, have been elected to Phi Beta Kappa.

We have many athletic Thetas this year. Ten made first teams in tennis, basketball, and crew, and were therefore able to take part in the class games held on Women's Field day, April 1. Helen Law '23 made the all-star tennis team, and Helen Carr '24 and Adrienne Leonard '24 made the all-star basketball team. Margaret McCone '22 not only made all-star crew but was also awarded a circle C. The sophomore boat for which Gertrude Martin '24 is cox won the interclass crew race.

On March 17 we gave our last dance of this season—the spring formal. The house was effectively decorated with branches of blossoms which we "borrowed" from neighboring trees. Several of last year's graduates came to the dance.

The Y. W. C. A. is having a huge finance drive to raise \$5,000.00 for Y. W. C. A. work in China. Eleanor Booth '23 is at the head of the drive. The drive is being conducted by committees who are each trying to outdo the others in raising money.

There has been a rather heated discussion among the faculty and even among the residents of Berkeley concerning the location of our stadium in Strawberry canyon. As a result Professor Reiber of the philosophy department has resigned from the university. Professor Brown from Stanford has taken his place.

The 1922 Parthenia will be given April 8. It is called *The vision of Marpessa* and will be held in faculty glade. Helen Carrier '23 and Aphra West '25 have dancing parts.

The new Student Union building is nearing completion and on April 8 a "nickel dance" will be given on the campus in order to raise money for it. The men's fraternities are lending their houses for the occasion and the women's will cooperate with them.

2 April 1922

Adrienne Leonard

'21 Margaret Tinning is attending business college in San Francisco. Anna Mackinlay '17 and Helen Lacy '21 have been visiting friends in Berkeley. Helen Lacy will tour the Mediterranean this summer.

'02 Born, to Mr and Mrs James Bullitt (Edith Selby) a daughter.

'19 Born, to Mr and Mrs Alan Spoule (Marion Bogle) a son.

'19 Born, to Mr and Mrs William B. Hubbard (Helen Geary) a daughter.

ALPHA BETA—SWARTHMORE COLLEGE

February 17 we all met at the home of Mrs James Lamb for initiation. All the pledges made the required average and were initiated. After initiation we trooped over to Whittier house for the banquet. Mary Janney Cox made a splendid toast-mistress and everyone had a jolly time, for there were many alumnæ back.

We gave our annual formal dance the next night at the Springhaven country club. When it was over the unanimous opinion was that there never had been such a dance. Even today one can hear sighs of regret that it is over until next year.

March 9 fraternity meeting was held at the home of Mrs William I. Hull. Several Thetas from the University of Pittsburgh were our guests, having come down to college to play basketball.

March 15 we had an informal tea at which two members from every other fraternity were present. We discussed such problems as how to keep up scholarship and expressed our views on extension. We felt that the interchange of ideas helped inter-fraternity spirit, so was beneficial.

One afternoon we gave a little informal tea to which mostly nonfraternity girls were invited. Everyone liked it so much that we decided to do it quite often.

Tomorrow night, March 30, we are going to have something which Swarthmore has never before experienced, a large formal Prom. It will be held in both dining-rooms and it is said that the decorations will give the effect of the Garden of Allah. The music will last until two. This will be a very fitting ending to the winter term and we will all go home the next day for a much needed spring vacation.

30 March 1922

Dorothy Evans

Anna Lippincott Miller, Esther Phillips, and Elizabeth Miller sailed for Europe Apr. 25.

Elizabeth Miller and Lucy Lippincott spent a month in Florida.

'18 Katherine Price Olin (Mrs H. A.) has moved to 619 University parkway, Baltimore.

'22 Ruth Mekeel Washburn has announced her engagement to Frank S. Dudley, K Σ.

'15 Born: to Mr and Mrs Edwin Lucas (Breta Crapster) a daughter.

'21 Nellie Walker has announced her engagement to Bayard S. Amelia.

'23 Virginia H. Evans is the society editor of the *Miami Herald*, Miami, Fla.

'06 Born: to Mr and Mrs Edward M. Basset (Ellie Simonds) a son.

Constance Ball has accepted an appointment as special worker in the Student section of the National board of Y. W. C. A. Her headquarters will be in New York City.

ALPHA GAMMA—OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY

Founders'-day banquet found us in the midst of examinations, but in spite of this unfortunate state of affairs the function was a great success. It was given in Campbell hall on the campus and we were highly entertained with an operetta entitled *Prince Omelet*, presented very cleverly by the alumnae, and by a style show dating from 1820, by the undergraduates.

February 25 Alpha Gamma initiated four pledges: Katharine Hoover, Adrienne Smith, Lillian Zinn and Iola Jerx, all Columbus residents.

At the Co-ed Prom March 4 Theta was well represented. Helen Whitehill and Katharine Hoover distinguished themselves by winning the prize for the funniest, dressed as a grind-organ man and his monkey.

Rushing for next year was begun March 11 by a spread at the home of Elizabeth Wilcox.

If cheering could have won a cup, Theta surely would have gotten a large one at the Intermural races last Saturday night. But in spite of our lack of luck we had a thoroughly enjoyable and exciting evening.

April Fools' day the freshmen are entertaining the chapter with their annual dance; we are awaiting with some curiosity the events of the evening.

Helen Follet, we are sorry to say, has returned to her home in New York.

30 March 1922

Anita Landacre

ALPHA DELTA—GOUCHER COLLEGE

This has been a busy and momentous two months, most particularly because of initiation. February 3 to celebrate release from the strain of mid-years, we had a delightful dance at the Emerson hotel, and just a month later the alumnae were hostesses at another dance which was given for the benefit of the Scholarship fund. Mrs Haviland, and our District president, Miss Miller, came down for a few hours' visit with both the alumnae and college chapters February 9. We hope to see them again when they come through on their way to the installation at William and Mary college. The Sunday following, Esther Smith had a most enjoyable supper party for both chapters. And a week later, February 18, came that day of days, initiation at Nell Miller's house, which was particularly adapted for the occasion. Afterward we repaired some fifty strong to the Southern hotel for quite the nicest banquet we have ever known.

Great was our exultation when Phi Beta Kappa elections were announced March 16, for two Thetas won election. Of the fourteen elected, only four were fraternity girls.

March 17 and 18 came one of the big events of the year—Senior dramatics, for which the seniors had been practicing and painting scenery and sewing costumes for months. The play was Eugene Brieux's *False Gods*, a powerful pageant-like thing which has been attempted only once before in this country. Hope Nelson Hardy had the leading feminine part and there were five other Thetas in the cast.

Of course as many of us as can possibly make it are planning to go both to the convention and to the installation at William and Mary.

25 March 1922

Marcia Bracken Thom

'21 Gertrude Turk will be married to Frank Roberts Apr. 7.

'21 Betty Major Denny (Mrs Clifton) visited with friends in Washington the week of Mar. 26.

ALPHA ETA—VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY

The year has been very successful, we think as we look back over all that has happened. In the first place, we made a good beginning with the house-party the week-end before we returned to college. Six weeks later we pledged eight freshmen, we wish you could see them. The gala week for Alpha Eta was in January, when we had initiation one night and Founders'-day banquet and a dance the next night. In all the elections—class, literary and social clubs—Theta has had cause to rejoice over the outcome.

Recently seven Thetas were elected to Student council: Marian Matthews, secretary, Eugenia Porter, Carmine Clark, Catherine Mims, Carolyn Buell, Eleanor Brown and Lucy Ransom.

The Y. W. C. A. has elected its officers for next year and among them are the following Thetas: Catherine Mims, vice-president; Eugenia Porter, secretary; Catherine Clark, U. R.

Panhellenic has ruled out both spring and summer rushing, so our worries will not begin until next fall.

Although we are far away, each JOURNAL arouses new enthusiasm over convention, and we hope to have several members present.

We are glad to announce that one of our freshmen, Marie Sherrer, who on account of illness missed the entire second term, has returned to resume work for the third term.

The class of '22 is planning to erect a gate at the campus entrance on West End and Twenty-third, as a substantial memorial of the class.

25 March 1922

Mary Ransom

'22 Irene Hunt is in Nashville, taking some work at Peabody college.

'12 Born: to Mr and Mrs F. L. Pierce (Julia Chester) Feb. 21, a son, Samuel Chester Pierce.

'17 Levie Reynolds Shapard (Mrs Evander) and her young daughter, Ann, were in Nashville for several weeks.

'22 Inez McDowell was quite sick at St. Thomas hospital and is now at home recovering.

'21 Dorothy Duffy was here during her spring vacation.

ALPHA THETA—UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS

During the winter term our only social function was a tea. The rooms were decorated in spring blossoms, and an arbor covered with flowers was used effectively in the dining-room where Kathleen McCallum and Henrietta Lightfoot poured tea.

The Angler club dance March 4 was led by Mildred Chambers.

We have been very busy lately making plans for our new home which we expect to begin building in April. Mrs Frank Kiley of Houston is chairman of the house committee.

The campaign for a million-and-a-half-dollar building which is to be a university center is in full swing. Several of the Thetas are interested in this plan, and are helping to boost it. Among other campus activities, the first Women's athletic exhibition took place on Clark Field March 31. Every girl in a gym class took part in this display of the drills and dances taught here.

The alumnae have reorganized, and at their social meetings they have hemmed us some pretty linen napkins.

Dr Coolidge of Mills college, California, honored Theta by taking lunch with us when she came last week to lecture during Home economics week.

28 March 1922

Margaret Preston

Sue King has withdrawn for the spring term.

Louise Britton is now teaching in the physical training department of the Oak Lawn high school in Dallas, Tex.

Frances Collum visited Alpha Theta during the week of the banquet. Other alumnae guests were Mrs Howard, Anne L. Preston, Mrs F. Kiley, Mrs Thomas, Hazel Smith, and Ruth Johnson.

Mary Rugeley is to be married to Tilly Ferguson.

'22 Married: Margaret Curtiss to John Boise. Address: Amarillo, Tex.

'22 Married: Virginia Donaldson to Oliver Holden, at Austin, Tex.

Lucy Johnson has announced her engagement to Tom Petty. The wedding will take place in June, after which they will go to New York to live.

Agnes Hall, Eta, visited at the house during the latter part of January.

Thelma Estes, affiliate from Omicron, has withdrawn from the university.

ALPHA IOTA—WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY

Our tea was as much fun this year as ever. We all had a fine time, and did enjoy becoming for one afternoon demure Martha Washingtons. Some one said that we looked so pretty that it was hard to recognize us. Our guests seemed to enjoy themselves, too, judging from their number and the length of time they all stayed.

February 11 Alpha Iota initiated ten out of thirteen pledges: Mary Green, Anne Kinnaird, Anne McChesney, Jane McCoy, Katherine Milne, Marie Reid, Marie Selden, Jalien Shield, and Mary Delle Woods, all freshmen, and Elizabeth Lord, a sophomore.

The Founders'-day banquet that night was a wonderful reunion. It took the form of a congress of chapters with *Our ally*, *Our neighbor*, etcetera, being presented to us in the different speeches.

Marie Davis Thomson of St. Louis has been appointed president of District II to fill out the term of office of Miss Forbes, who resigned because of too heavy outside work.

March 13, Alpha Iota held its third initiation of the year: that of Madeline Scott, who, on account of illness, had missed an examination during finals.

All Washington is rejoicing over the new swimming pool opened March 18. The opening exercise took the form of a water carnival presided over by King Neptune and his court. Jane Treadway and Elizabeth Lord were nymphs in his court and Harriet Chittenden placed second in the women's race.

We are all interested in the rushing rules for next year which, among other things, do away with spring rushing and provide for preferential bidding.

28 March 1922

Mildred Moore

Born: to Mr and Mrs Kendall Harrison (Katherine Middleton), a son.

The marriage of Katherine Brooks to Russell Gibson has been announced.

Mrs Thomas Brittingham, jr. (Mildred Candy) is visiting here.

Genieve Wilson is attending the School of social economy.

Lucy Wolfing is a member of the Board of children's guardians.

Helen Ette is visiting in St. Louis.

Mrs Blake Howard (Elise Hoolan) has a daughter.

Kadge Cushing has announced her engagement.

ALPHA KAPPA—ADELPHI COLLEGE

The last two months have brought great joy to Adelphi college, joy which had begun to seem only a dream. Four years ago when we seniors were freshmen, we learned that a piece of valuable property had been purchased near Eastern Parkway, and on that land was to stand our wonderful new Adelphi, the only college in Brooklyn leading to a liberal arts degree. Of course we threw ourselves into the movement with a thrill of pride and pleasure, but war complications and financial conditions throughout the country delayed the work until the new buildings had become almost a myth to us. Then one gala day this spring President Blodgett announced that the contract placing the big drive for Adelphi's Endowment fund in the hands of a well known firm had at last been signed. The campaign soon will be launched and it is probable that present freshmen will graduate from the new buildings and that our dream of a real, big, resident college and a chapter house of our own will some day be realized.

Meanwhile our regular activities are progressing enthusiastically. March 16 we initiated four fine girls: Helen Backus '23, Valida Hassan '24, Dorothy Cooper '25, and Ruth Grace '25.

March 8 we pledged two more equally desirable girls who entered in February, Elsie Giesler and Edna Hopkins.

March 25 was the date of our regular monthly social meeting. Elizabeth Gash entertained us at a very delightful and happy party.

30 March 1922

Doris Purrington

'19 Alice Hann announced her engagement to Martin Shea, at a delightful luncheon at the Biltmore.

'23 Mabel Brown has announced her engagement to William Healey.

'22 Doris Purrington has announced her engagement to Basil Wilford Lee.

ALPHA LAMBDA—UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON

The spring quarter has begun and we are realizing that we must work hard if we are to win the scholarship cup offered by Panhellenic.

We recently pledged Margaret Sparling, of Hoquiam, a sophomore who has already accomplished a great deal both in activities and in scholarship. In the last Women's league campaign she was elected vice-president of that organization.

February 10 we gave our formal. The large hall was luxurious with palms, davenports, stand lamps and rugs, while the

small room in which the supper was served was decorated in red to carry out the idea of valentines.

The following week-end a lovely party was given at the Yacht club for the Thetas and the Phi Delta Thetas by the alumnae and alumni of the two chapters. It was one of the nicest dances of the year. Shortly after, we entertained the hosts and hostesses with a dinner-party.

Margery Lindsay '22 has announced her engagement to Mitchel Charnley, Phi Gamma Delta, of Goshen, Indiana. The wedding will take place in September.

One of the most helpful recent events was the organization of a mothers' club which is keeping our linen in good order and is looking after many little things about the house that only mothers can observe and remedy.

27 March 1922

Joan H. Sprague

Mr and Mrs Willard Herron (Osceola House) are being congratulated on the birth of a daughter.

Mr and Mrs Bragg (Helen Goode) are being congratulated on the birth of a son.

ALPHA MU—UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI

Alpha Mu held her Founders'-day banquet February 12. The Saturday night closest to Alpha Mu's thirteenth birthday was chosen as the best time. It was therefore a two-in-one celebration, for both the national and local foundings. There were fifty-two of us. Each freshman was as deeply impressed as she had been told all year that she would be, and each upperclassman and alumna felt proud to be a member of such a group.

The alumnae present at the banquet were: Irma Grunner Bedford (Mrs John), Edna Barek Garth (Mrs James), Kate Child Bain (Mrs Ustick), Betty Johnson, Addie Root, Florence Caton, Eugenia Hayden, Frances Dunwoody, Helen Ludlow, Josephine Bruce, Ferne Bewyer, and Dorothy Mumford.

Within the last month a number of honors have been conferred on members of our chapter. Margaret Harris was elected to Pi Lambda Theta, educational fraternity; Frank Robertson to Kappa Tau Alpha, journalistic fraternity; Alline Smith and Hazel McIntyre to Mortar Board, senior fraternity. Alline Smith has also been elected president of Y. W. C. A. and Hazel McIntyre has been appointed on the Y. W. C. A. Cabinet. Alline Smith will be a delegate to the national convention of Y. W. C. A. which convenes in Hot Springs, Arkansas, April 20-27. Mildred Northrop has received the William Volker prize in sociology.

The contracts for the following university buildings have been let: Agriculture building, Women's building, Power plant, and new hospital.

Alpha Mu also is striving hard to have a building program. The plans for her new home have been approved. Everyone is doing her utmost to make possible a new chapter house by the last of next August, at which time the university opens for the fall term.

28 March, 1922

Frances Ragland

The following have been our guests within the last two months: Winifred Limerick Toll (Mrs Court), Angeline Beasley and Caroline Collins.

'16 Helen Lowry was married to Dr Samuel Ayres, jr. June 25, 1917. A son, Samuel III, was born May 1, 1919. They moved to 1252 Sweetzer av. Hollywood, Cal. in Nov. 1920. Helen was elected vice-president of Los Angeles alumnae for 1921.

Married: Mar. 19, Margaret Kennedy Mumford, president of District X, and Mr M. Gordon Neale. At home after May 1, 500 Delaware st. S. E. Minneapolis, Minn.

'21 Catherine Mumford announces her engagement to King Holliday of New York City. The wedding will take place in August at the Mumfords' summer home in Alden, Mich.

ALPHA NU—UNIVERSITY OF MONTANA

Scholarship returns for the second quarter find Theta second among university organizations, lacking eight-tenths of a point of having as high an average as Alpha Phi. Mary X. McCarthy with forty grade points and Vivian Bruneau with thirty-eight were among the highest five per cent at the university.

Margaret Johnston has been elected university Y. W. C. A. delegate to the national Y. W. C. A. conference at Hot Springs, Arkansas. Lillian Goff has been made student chairman of the women's vocational conference which will be held here in May. Agnes Boyd has been initiated into Theta Sigma Phi, national fraternity for women journalists, and also has been given a position on the staff of *The Sentinel*, the university annual. Anne Cliff has been elected president of the Episcopal students club and Mabel McIntire its secretary. Anne is also president of the Eastern Star club. Mary X. McCarthy is chairman of the decoration committee for the Athletic ball, the big social event of the year.

Mrs Bemis spent several days visiting the chapter at the beginning of the quarter. The alumnae entertained for her at the end of her visit. Theta entertained all the university women at a Colonial tea on Washington's birthday. Every third Sunday

of the month women's fraternities exchange guests—two from each fraternity—so that the girls may become better acquainted.

With the coming of spring, work on the buildings has recommenced and students and faculty are looking forward to coming back next fall to a new forestry building, a gymnasium, a library and two new dormitories. The work of the spring quarter begins March 29, after a two-days' intermission between quarters. Thetas are resolved to lead in scholarship by a margin of eight-tenths or more this quarter.

27 March 1922

Vivian L. Bruneau

'17 Berneice Berry, who is instructor of piano at the university, is accompanist for the men's Glee club on its state trip.

'15 Born: to Mr and Mrs Rufus Ruenuaver (Merle Kettlewell), a daughter, Katherine Jean.

Many Thetas from over the state went to Helena March 20 to hear Mary Garden in *Thais* and also to hear Marjorie Maxwell, who is a member of the company and a Theta from Alpha Nu chapter. Miss Maxwell was married three weeks ago to C. W. Selder, a Chicago business man, but plans to continue with her work.

ALPHA XI—UNIVERSITY OF OREGON

This winter term has passed so quickly, urged along by numbers of interesting events, that we hardly realize it is practically over. We are planning all the things we'll do during the week we shall be at home.

Last term Theta stood fourth in scholarship among all organizations on the campus. We hope to raise our standing.

Seven girls were initiated January 22. They are Mary Gill, Georgiana Gerlinger, Mary Harris, Martha Shull, all of Portland; Mary Hardy of San Diego; Rebecca Ireland of Pasadena; and Florence Buck of Eugene. Betty Honkanen, a sister, was the only girl pledged this term, as the chapter is already very large.

The chief social event of the term was a dinner-dance given by the freshmen in honor of the sophomores February 17 at the house. It was a Valentine party, the house being decorated with hearts and pussy willows.

We are planning a tea at Geraldine Pilkington's home in Portland March 29, during vacation, in honor of our mothers.

Several girls have won special distinction this term. Marion Lawrence was elected to Mu Phi Epsilon, national women's music fraternity, making the fourth Theta in that organization. Genevieve Phelps and Ruth Sensenich were elected to Kwama, a sophomore organization to which only nineteen freshmen are

elected each year. Lorna Coolidge was pledged to Mask and Buskin, a chapter of the Associated university players. Four girls were appointed to the staff of the campus paper, Mae Ballack, Henryetta Lawrence, Georgiana Gerlinger, and Martha Shull.

We are glad to have Helen Manning and Imogene Letcher back this term. We were very sorry to lose Hilma Honkanen, Eleanor Eakin, and Florence Fortmiller. Eleanor Eakin and Florence Fortmiller had to leave on account of illness. All three will probably be back next term.

April Frolic, which takes place April 8, and our formal, April 21, are occupying much of our time and thought, and we are looking forward to next term with much pleasure.

25 March 1922

Martha Shull

'18 Cleome Carroll sailed for Naples on March 25, for a trip of about three months. She is to meet a New York friend there and proceed up through Italy to Paris and London. She is a designer with the Butterick firm in New York.

'15 Hazel Rader was married Dec. 28, 1921, to Charles Henry Blesse of Oakland, Cal. Address: Frederick apts. 28, 41st st. Mr Blesse is in the life insurance business.

Marion Coffey was married to Warren Edwards, B Θ II, Feb. 4. Address: Bartle court, Eugene, Ore.

'16 Charlie Fenton, who has been studying at a secretarial school in California since Sept. is resuming her position as alumni secretary at the university.

'21 Ruth Montgomery is to teach in the summer session of the university. She is making a specialty of mental testing.

ALPHA OMICRON—UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA

Founders'-day was celebrated by Beta Zeta and Alpha Omicron with the alumnae chapter at a formal banquet in Oklahoma City. The entertainment deviated from the usual routine of toasts in that we had a program of readings, songs, solo dances, and a violin solo.

Margaret Moore has been initiated into Delta Psi Kappa, athletic fraternity, and Oikonomia, home economics fraternity.

Ella Mansfield, Helen Hays, and Olive Robertson have been initiated into Phi Mu Gamma, dramatic fraternity.

Jeannette Barnes has been reappointed as a member of the Y. W. C. A. Cabinet.

Helen Hays is to take one of the leading feminine rôles in Shakespeare's *Twelfth night* which is to be presented April 26.

Mozelle Downing has been chosen sponsor of Company E of the R. O. T. C.

February 20 the pledges gave a very unique and interesting vaudeville stunt, their last pledge duty before becoming Kappa Alpha Thetas.

February 22 we initiated Jurhee Galloway, Archie Burnett, Eleanor Drennan (sister of Gladys and Geraldine), Mildred Francisco (sister of Eva), Rozelle Burnett (sister of Olga), Elizabeth Broach (sister of Amelia and Frances), Olive Robertson, Dorothy Taylor, Dorothy M. Thompson, Mary Mee, Mozelle Downing, Ruth Green, Willie Faye Corbin, Lenore Barnes (sister of Jeannette). The initiation was followed by a banquet.

Delta Sigma Delta, a local petitioning Delta Tau Delta, has obtained the charter so that we have a new national fraternity on the campus.

26 March 1922

Helen Hays

Alumnæ back for initiation were: Geraldine Drennan, Mrs B. N. Ferguson (Lucia Loomis), Mrs B. N. Thompson (Gladys Drennan), Grace Williams, Jen Tolbert, Mrs J. N. Dyer (Virginia Shutt), Mary Ann Robison, Marguerite Mattison, and Mrs Armstrong (Minnie Lee Burrus), all of Oklahoma City; Eva Francisco, Enid; Mary Virgin, Mrs King Larramore (Mary Paxton), and Mrs A. N. Henson (Margaret Goodrich), all of Norman.

Born: to Mr and Mrs B. Simms (Ruth Mansfield) a son, Sim Kay.

Born: to Mr and Mrs Howard Baugh (Mildred Daily) a son, Howard, jr.

Mary Wright, Louise Orton, and Helen Brooks visited in Norman while the state teachers' convention was being held at Oklahoma City.

ALPHA PI—UNIVERSITY OF NORTH DAKOTA

Among the Thetas who are doing things on the campus are Helen Fox, who wrote an original song for the seniors, in our annual Carney song contest, February 21, in which all the classes compete for the prize of fifty dollars which is awarded to the class having the best group of original songs; Dorothy Massee, pledge, who had a leading part in *The importance of being earnest*, given by the Dakota playmakers; Evelyn Suter elected field representative of Y. W. C. A. and Henrietta Shorb chosen chairman of the finance committee.

Of course I mustn't forget our formal, although it is now past history, as it was February 25. It was unique in the history of formal parties in that it was characterized by the utmost simplicity. Very little decorating was done and our money and efforts were concentrated on the banquet and dance. The success of the party helps to prove that a formal party need not be very elaborate to be *very* enjoyable.

March 21 we initiated two juniors, Emma Hollan and Louise Weiermuller. These girls swell our membership to capacity, so from now on we will have to be blind to promising Theta material on the campus.

March 27 the house girls are going to entertain twenty alumnae to talk over plans for our new house. If ever a chapter needed and deserved a house surely it is Alpha Pi, so you can imagine how earnestly and enthusiastically and strenuously we are all praying for the New House!

25 March 1922

Marguerite Black

'10 Mrs Jas. J. Brennan (Echo Turner) and son, James, jr. of Minneapolis, are spending a month with her parents.

'13 Mrs N. D. Heaton (Emily Covert) is superintendent of nurses at the Hardin, Mont. hospital.

Mrs Oscar Anderson (Minnie Markell) and son, Markell, of Hansboro, N. D. are spending some time here.

'16 Adah Flemington is teaching at Cloquet, Minn.

Vaughn Miller Knapp is teaching at Lamoure, N. D.

'17 Gertrude Healy has returned from New York City to be at home for the summer.

'17 Kathleen Cowan has a bank position at Michigan, N. D.

'19 Born: to Drs Lester R. and Lillian Bendeke Parson, a son, Lester Bendeke, Mar. 14.

'20 Marguerite Patterson is teaching at Tower, Minn.

'21 Eva Skinner has returned from Columbia university on account of illness.

'22 Married: Josephine Griffith to Rex Hahn, Feb. 11.

'19 Dorothy Hutchinson has been traveling in the East for the last two months,

The Grand Forks alumnae club is having a rummage sale for the Scholarship fund, Mar. 25.

ALPHA RHO—UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH DAKOTA

Alpha Rho initiated six of her pledges February 21, Martha Wendell, Frances Spangler, Margaret Lavery, Winifred Reynolds, Irene Gross, and Helen Drake. January 31 we pledged Vivian Johnson of Vermilion and Helen Barker of Canistota. The new initiates and pledges entertained the chapter at a formal dinner and presented the house with a beautiful lamp, cloisonné and parchment.

April 1 we will have an informal April Fools' party, which we will make as unusual and unique as the name might suggest. Several of our alumnae are planning to be present and at this time we are going to urge them especially to try to attend convention.

26 March 1922

Alice Burke Whitlaw

Born: to Mr and Mrs Walter Burke (Jean Shanard) a son, Charles Burke.

Martha Wendell announces her engagement to Harold W. Gardwood.

Mrs Kenneth Gifford (Lucile Large) visited us Mar. 18.

'20 Marie Leavit spent a week-end with us recently.

ALPHA SIGMA—STATE COLLEGE OF WASHINGTON

Initiation, March 20, added to Alpha Sigma's roll Dorothy Anderson, Lucile Hurd, Zena Rothrock, Helen Broughton, Gladys Evans, Lillian Lane, Elvera Swanson, Betty Lackore, and Louise Ferguson Nasmyth (Mrs Herbert). Mrs Nasmyth is an instructor of music at the college. Eleanor O'Shea, Spokane, and Catherine Fowler, Seattle, were pledged at midsemesters after a two weeks rush.

A vaudeville show presented by the pledges to an audience of members and alumnae helped to increase the Scholarship fund of this chapter. Our second informal dance this year was given in the K. of P. hall March 11. The hall was decorated by the pledges. The chapter entertained the town alumnae at a luncheon in the chapter house February 25. We gave a tea in honor of Mrs L. H. Foote, chaperon, March 24.

Alpha Sigma stood sixth on the scholarship list for the first semester, with Alpha Chi Omega the only national Greek letter fraternity above her. As the result of a movement in Panhellenic the women's Greek letter fraternities on this campus exchange dinner guests every two weeks. Construction plans are under way for the building of a new men's dormitory to be located just off the campus with accommodations for two-hundred-and-fifty men, at an approximate cost of \$200,000.00.

Reva Doubrauvsky has been elected captain of the junior class baseball team.

22 March 1922

Ethel Toevs

'19 Born: to Mr and Mrs George Sales (Vernon Barnes) a son, George, jr. Feb. 8, at Portland, Ore.

'19 Born: to Mr and Mrs Earl McCroskey (Dorothy McMasters) a daughter, Nancy, Mar. 6, at Tacoma, Wash.

'20 Born: to Mr and Mrs Howard Langdon (Erna Bradbury) a son, Dec. 17, Schenectady, N. Y.

ALPHA TAU—UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI

No letter received. 8 April 1922

ALPHA UPSILON—WASHBURN COLLEGE

Initiation for our sixteen freshmen was held at the chapter house March 4.

Two weeks later we gave an informal dancing party at the Odd Fellows hall down town.

Marjorie Hemus has been elected secretary and Thelma Hobson treasurer of the Y. W. C. A. for next year. The retiring Y. W. C. A. Cabinet held council with the new Cabinet at the Delta Gamma house March 24-25. Thetas whose Cabinet offices expire are Isabel Whitecomb, president; Mable Claire Steele, Big Sister chairman; and Lilian Hughes, leader of freshman commission.

Esther Paxton was elected chairman of the Junior Prom committee. Marjorie Hemus is the new sophomore representative on the Student council.

Washburn went over the top in the drive in Topeka for \$250,000.00 of an \$800,000.00 endowment fund campaign. The students and faculty contributed \$30,000.00 to the fund, including a gift of \$1,200.00 from the Y. W. C. A. and \$1,500.00 from the Washburn dramatic club. The first new building on the campus is to be Benton hall, a women's dormitory already under construction. The Law school is to have a better building and a part of the fund is for a theater and administration building.

The greatest accomplishment of this year for us has been definite plans and preparations for a new house. Our goal for next year is the realization of these plans for a chapter house and the larger expression of Theta ideals on Washburn campus.

27 March 1922

Lilian Hughes

'21 Jessie Burnette and Morton Bailey were married in Topeka, Mar. 25. They will live in Kansas City, Mo.

'20 Teresa Tucker announced her engagement to Walter Cole, K Σ. She is teaching in Sabetha.

Josephine Gillmore, who is enrolled in the College of Emporia, was here for initiation.

ALPHA PHI—NEWCOMB COLLEGE

Newcomb has been in a state of excitement these past few weeks, with elections to the senior society and to Phi Beta Kappa being announced. Alpha Sigma Sigma is the Newcomb senior society founded for the promotion of college spirit and which, up until last year, was a secret society. We are all proud that Lydia Schuler will uphold the honor of Theta in that society next year. Then Phi Beta Kappa elections were announced.

The chapel was simply jammed and all the seniors were there, looking most impressive in their caps and gowns. Only six girls were chosen for that honor and Theta is more than proud that Mildred Christian was one of those six. Do you wonder that we are all puffed up, when, to cap the climax, Ellenor Shannon was elected dormitory president?

To come down from the heights to mediocre every day affairs, the one word rushing characterizes our very existence. With this whole year of rushing, we are all nervous wrecks. You know, freshmen are all so fickle, they never can seem to make up their minds to anything definite and consequently, they keep us in an uproar. We gave a barn dance, our second rushing party, at Bertha Schevermann's, March 18. The whole place was "dressed up" for the occasion and all the freshmen had dates planned for them. Everyone seemed to have a grand time.

At college, plans are being made for the Junior Prom, May Day, and, of course, all the seniors are busy practicing for their class play. The cast is very small but three Thetas are in it, Muriel Bate, Eleanor LeBlanc and Mildred Christian. We are all just rushed to death and 'tis no wonder we're eagerly looking forward to a few care-free days on our Easter house-party.

After that, it is back to exams, Class Day exercise and graduation and then the suspense will be over until we meet again in September, when we will be able to pledge and initiate this year's rushes.

27 March 1922

Frances Comey

ALPHA CHI—PURDUE UNIVERSITY

Tobogganning days are gone and those of hikes and picnics have taken their place. Our lawn is one of our greatest boasts and we are eagerly awaiting the time when the shrubs will be in full bloom.

Our formal dance was held February 3. The Dean of women said that she had enjoyed herself more at our dance than any she had ever attended. We were quite proud, for she is not given to flattery.

February 16 we initiated Marcia Kenyon, Mary Paulding, Charlotte Uhl, and Handruma Jones.

Edith Evans has been elected member of the Circus committee. Josephine Findley has been elected Y. W. C. A. secretary, and Alameda McCullough is on May Day committee.

The house is strangely quiet for freshmen are on silence pending initiation April 1.

29 March 1922

Mary Louise Taylor

'21 Agnes Ayres is in Washington acting as scientific assistant for the National research council. Her address is Church of Covenant house, 1812 N st. N. W.

Margaret Gary, Aileen Trimble, and Martha Eldridge of Alpha came up for February initiation.

'23 Mr and Mrs W. H. Snyder (Lillian Stevens) visited us in Mar.

ALPHA PSI—LAWRENCE COLLEGE

No letter received. 8 April 1922

ALPHA OMEGA—UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH

After one dance, and a series of luncheons, teas, and parties, we concluded rushing with a real Theta dinner at the house, presenting our guests with gold fish in bowls decorated with black and gold. We appreciate greatly the aid so generously given us by our alumnae and by Mrs K. C. Randall, Rho, for without them we could not have been so successful.

Alpha Omega is very proud to announce the following pledges: Frances Koenig (sister of Olivia and Beatrice), Elizabeth Highberger and Jo Rumbaugh, Greensburg; Helen McPeak, Braddock; Marian Wolcott, Pittsburgh; Marjorie Moore, Iowa City, Iowa; Elizabeth Watson, Seattle, Washington. April 8 we expect to initiate all of them, and also Cora Debray, pledge of last term. April 21 the annual formal dance for the new initiates will be held at the Twentieth Century club. Alumnae are cordially invited.

Olivia Koenig '23 was hit by an automobile March 25 and is in the Columbia hospital. She will not be able to return to college for quite a long time and we certainly are missing her cheery presence very much.

The girls' varsity basketball team, coached by Margaret McClenahan '19, during an eastern trip played Swarthmore and the University of Pennsylvania. Mary Chapman, captain, Elizabeth Dutney and Grace Love played and Hazel Hipple and Marian Wolcott accompanied the team. The six Thetas visited Alpha Beta and Beta Eta and had a delightful time, bringing back many new ideas that were helpful to us.

The Greek letter world of women at the university is at present very much interested in two things, namely, the Panhellenic formal which is to be May 2 at the Hotel Schenley, and interfraternity basketball. Interfraternity basketball for women is a new thing here and is causing a great deal of excitement. Varsity girls are ineligible, and consequently, girls who have not played for years, and some who have never played, are practising

frantically. We are discovering much latent talent, and hope to acquire the cup which will be given to the winning team.

28 March 1922

Adeline Anger

'16 Louise Cully is living at the house.

'24 Anne Clarke is suffering from a nervous breakdown.

'21 Alena Horner has a position with the Crutchfield and Woolfolk co.

'16 Zella Chambers is confined to the hospital with a broken arm.

'20 Augusta Burdorf Corbett's (Mrs Charles) father died recently.

'15 Anna Laura Hopkins Moreland's (Mrs William) father died recently.

'19 Margaret McClenahan was presented with a lovely comb, in recognition of her services as coach, by the varsity and freshman basketball teams of the university.

BETA BETA—RANDOLPH-MACON WOMAN'S COLLEGE

Pledge day was February 24. Beta Beta pledges are Virginia Smith, Washington, D. C.; Theodosia Welch, Elsberry, Missouri; Ramona Dietzel, Union City, Tennessee; Annetta Edwards, Hillsboro, Illinois; Jean Burns, Jonesboro, Arkansas; Esther Gannaway, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. On the night of pledge day, the chapter entertained at the house with a course supper; after the supper a stunt was presented by the pledges and the chapter sang Theta songs and told the pledges of Theta customs and traditions.

Frances Williams has been selected to represent Randolph-Macon on the affirmative side in the annual triangular debate with Agnes Scott and Sophie Newcomb. One of our pledges, Esther Gannaway, has been chosen as alternate on the affirmative for this debate.

On Founder's-day, March 12, the college Dramatic club presented *Belinda*. Virginia Smith was excellent in the rôle of "Mr Trelaine," leading man.

Plans are being made for our annual banquet the first Saturday after Easter vacation. The banquet will be held in the banquet hall of the Virginian hotel. We expect to have a number of visiting Thetas as guests.

Maxie Stone has been appointed chairman of the New girls committee, one of the most important of the Y. W. C. A. committees. This means that she will also become a member of the 1923 Cabinet.

From March 15 to 27 the college held its annual art exhibition. Paintings were from such representative artists as Twachtman, Swartz, Ipsen, and many others. According to its custom, the Art association purchased one picture, a portrait of Anna

Vaughn Hyatt at work on her sketch model of Jeanne d' Arc, by Marian Allen. Miss Hyatt spent one day at the college and gave a most delightful studio talk.

28 March 1922

Sarah MacDonald

BETA GAMMA—COLORADO AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE

The chapter was visited by our District president, Mrs Hal Lebrecht, during the first week in February.

Initiation was February 11 for Beatrice Dickerman, Martha Fish, Clarisse Laurent, Helen Pitcher, Lelia Waring, Josephine Peters, Katharine Smith, Winifred Watson, and Iva Watson.

Alumnæ present were Zebuline Murray, Frances Reynolds, Genevieve Smith, Florence Crane Kidder (Mrs Waldo), Helen Robertson, Margaret Galbraith, Ruth Platt Stitt (Mrs Carl), Margaret Ross Portner (Mrs Roy), Catharine Bauder, Leland McMurray Nesbit (Mrs John), Margaret Sackett (Mrs Walter).

February 19 the four unengaged seniors gave a "feed" for the chapter at the home of Elva Mae Fisher.

Frances Booream, of Fort Collins, was pledged March 14.

The chapter house was decorated with many balloons for our last house dance, February 25. Alumnæ present were Gayle Isensee, Iva Watson, Catharine Bauder, Marjorie Platt, Helen MacLaughlin, Ruth Platt Stitt (Mrs Carl), and Florence Lillis LeDonne (Mrs Edward).

The new initiates were entertained at a dinner given by the Sigma Chis, Sunday, March 18.

Margaret House is teaching swimming in the new pool this semester.

Florence McCoy of Denver visited the chapter house.

Martha Fish made the college Dramatic club in the February tryouts. Margaret Donaldson is to be in *The dictator*, the next Dramatic club play.

We are entertaining thirty high school girls during the Northern Colorado high school track meet here, May 6.

Martha Fish spent four days in March with the Colorado Mountain club, skiing at Fern Lake, Estes Park.

Helen Pitcher was out of college three weeks with influenza. Grace Henderson was ill a week with bronchial pneumonia.

Our annual is to be a dinner-dance, April 29, in the new Woman's building. This new building is especially suitable for dinner-dances, having two large rooms connected by a beautiful patio.

Clarisse Laurent and Martha Fish are on the new Y. W. C. A. Cabinet.

25 March 1922

Martha E. Fish

Dorothy Doolyn Finger and Hap Dotson, Σ N, were married in Denver, Feb. 10.

Crystal Netherton Reed (Mrs Earl) has been visiting her mother in Fort Collins.

Ruby Coffin has opened a successful tea room on the edge of the campus at Berkeley, Cal.

BETA DELTA—UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA

Our Founders'-day banquet was at the Country club February 2, having been postponed on account of examinations. The alumnae present were ten from our own chapter and seven from other chapters.

The last of January we pledged Florine Irwin from Los Angeles. She brought us distinction by winning the contest, for the most beautiful co-ed, conducted by *The Desert*, our year-book. February 21 we pledged Agnes Kruse from Minnesota. February 22 we held initiation for Helen Margaret Bugbee, Edith Burtis, Mary and Thyra Catlin, Louise Connor and Ruth Pickles. March 21 we pinned the ribbons on Elizabeth Angel from Prescott, Arizona.

Beta Delta has been shining in dramatics lately—Margaret Tait taking the lead in *Under cover*, a Sock and Buskin play, and Kathryn Crawford having the lead in the junior play, *A tailor made man*. Catherine Tait was elected president of the Woman's Self government association for next year; and Cosette Graham was recently elected to the House of representatives.

Catherine Tait has announced her engagement to Edward Evans, Kappa Sigma.

We were very much surprised when Ruth Burtis, who has been attending the University of Illinois, walked in on us one Saturday morning.

25 March 1922

Edith McDermott spent a few days in Tucson the first of the month. Lillian Hays, Alpha, is visiting Ellen Boulton Herndon.

BETA EPSILON—OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE

Rushing closed January 25 and Beta Epsilon was happy to add two pledges, Mary Alice Lambert, of Umatilla, and Gertrude Grey, of Portland.

January 27 we had a very effective dinner, in honor of Founders'-day. Many of our alumnae were back to tell us of their days in college, and to advise, encourage, and help us.

The pledges gave their annual Freshman vaudeville February 11. It was especially clever and very well finished. Aside from this, they presented the chapter house with a beautiful mahogany davenport-table.

Frances Lounsbury, one of last year's girls, gave us a lovely runner for our new table.

February 18 we held initiation for five of our pledges, who had proven themselves ready. They were: Jennette Meredith, Roberta Lane, Miriam Cromwell, Marjorie Burkhart, and Florence Dodge.

During the Christmas holidays our Portland alumnae made the chapter a gift of \$75.00. The Portland alumnae have been a great help to us in many ways, and we greatly appreciate their efforts and thoughtfulness.

During this term we have had a large number of Alpha Xi members over to spend week-ends with us.

Annette Weatherford has been elected vice-president of Y. W. C. A. Dorothy Cram has been appointed assistant editor of the *Beaver*, annual.

It has been our custom this year to have exchange dinners with other women's fraternities every two weeks, and the alternate weeks to have faculty guests.

16 March 1922

Adelaide Richardson

'22 Ruth Nicholson married to Gilbert Krieger.

BETA ZETA—OKLAHOMA AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL COLLEGE

At the end of the first semester Beta Zeta initiated Marjorie White '23, Sulphur; Louise Ray '24 and Lucille Grady '25, Stillwater; Ruth Keely '25, Arcadia; Gladys Foster '25, Oklahoma City; Elizabeth McDowell '25, Blackwell; Margaret Overstreet '22, Dallas, Texas.

Lucille Grady won the Theta badge which the chapter gives to the pledge making the highest average. Lucille is enrolled in the department of music.

Local Panhellenic is planning a spring party for nonfraternity girls. Each fraternity girl is to invite one nonfraternity girl.

Greater interest is being manifested in women's athletics since sweaters are being granted. Margaret Overstreet, Gladys Foster, and Murriel Tice made class teams in basketball.

The girls' state basketball tournament was held here in March. Thirty high schools were represented. Eight girls were

entertained at the Theta house. An informal party was given for the visiting teams by the Y. W. C. A. and Women's athletic association.

Gertrude Holt was unanimously elected sophomore class president. Ada Harell was elected treasurer.

At the recent Y. W. C. A. election, Murriel Tice was elected president, also delegate to Y. W. C. A. state conference and Y. W. C. A. National convention. Gertrude Holt and Mable Foster are members of the new Y. W. C. A. Cabinet.

Murriel Tice was chosen as St. Patrick's Queen by the engineers for their annual celebration, March 17.

Frances Stewart and Gertrude Holt were in the Glee club concert.

A four year coaching course in Physical education leading to B.S. degree has been added to the School of science and literature.

Margaret Overstreet was elected to Kappa Phi, religious fraternity.

Our college has a course in rifling for girls. Forty girls are enrolled and Arline Keely has made the best record of either boys or girls.

Scholarship reports for last semester puts Kappa Alpha Theta fourth.

Irene Kezer was elected vice-president of the junior class.

Square and Compass fraternity, local, is petitioning Acacia.
29 March 1922.

Murriel Tice

'19 Hesper Oder visited at the home of Goldia Jones Bishop and the chapter in February.

'13 Ruth Lahman Simank and young son of Cleveland, Ohio, are visiting at the home of Ruth's brother in Stillwater.

'15 Maude Bandel Kite and son Billie were guests of Marguerite K. Edson and Ruth Hill Wilber this month.

'13 Mr and Mrs Frank Cross (Fern Hamilton) will make their home in Stillwater.

BETA ETA—UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA

February 11, Beta Eta initiated Alphild Vold, Mildred Wolfe, Marion Bell, Florence Gilpin, Margaret Schell, Evelyn Seeger, and Mildred Whitacre. The initiation and banquet were held in Germantown at the home of Mrs Crouter. Mrs Mutchler, Philadelphia alumnae president, Mrs Amy Baker Ferguson, and several other Alpha Betas were present.

March 7 our freshmen gave a St. Patrick's tea for the freshmen of the fraternities on campus.

This year for the first time the Pittsburgh girls played Pennsylvania in basketball. Naturally we were overjoyed when our team came out ahead. The game was especially interesting, as both the centers were Thetas. We were very glad to meet the Thetas on the Pittsburgh team and to have them spend the night in our rooms.

For the March meeting of the Philadelphia alumnae our chapter was requested to furnish entertainment. We took great pleasure in presenting *The comic tragedy of Brutus Jensen* and *Patrick Rosenstein*.

Betty Humphreys, Y. W. C. A. social service chairman, had charge of a week-end house-party given to a group of Philadelphia industrial girls.

At our last meeting in March we were glad to have with us Miss Grenough, Tau, who is a Baptist field secretary. She told us something of her work and also gave us some interesting glimpses of her visits to Theta chapters in various colleges throughout the country.

At this meeting Marion Stranahan, Chi, who is studying at the Women's medical college in Philadelphia, visited us also.

For Saturday, April 29, we are planning to give the Beta Eta alumnae a party at the home of Marion Bell, Mt. Ephraim, New Jersey.

The Record Book for 1922 is well under way with Helen Ziegler as editor.

31 March 1922

Mildred Martin

'19 Clara Vold, who stopped at Philadelphia for several days on her way to Butler, Pa. was at meeting Mar. 27.

'19 Louise Greatehead spent her spring vacation in Philadelphia.

'18 Ethel McAllister received her M.A. at the University of Pennsylvania Feb. 22.

BETA THETA—UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO

Beta Theta announces the initiation March 11 of Eleanor Eddy, Lewiston; Emeline Gilman, Boise; Mary Dickinson, Hagerman; Marie Hogenson, Burley; Freda Howard, American Falls; Ethel Povey, Hailey; Gladys Perry, Moscow; and Grace Jacobson, Spokane, Washington.

This has been a successful year for Idaho in basketball. Last fall we were admitted to the Pacific Coast conference and at the end of the season held the championship of both the Northwest and Pacific Coast. The team returned Sunday from Indianapolis, where they met six Eastern teams. Idaho played Kala-

mazoo but was defeated with a score of 38-32. However, our team scored third in the league.

Bethel Collins has a place in the university play, *Adam and Eva*. The troupe plans to tour the Northern towns after the initial performance in Moscow, March 31. Bethel has also been selected to go with the university players this summer in their tour of the state.

We have a new pledge, Editha Barton, of Moscow, daughter of Prof J. W. Barton of the psychology department.

Elizabeth Bartlett made the highest scholarship average among the freshmen last year, and the Edna-Eunice freshman scholarship cup was presented to her at our initiation banquet.

21 March 1922

Aleta Greene

'23 Ernestine Rose returned to college for the second semester.

'23 Dona Eggan has left for California to be with her father.

'24 Caroline Gilman announced her engagement to Ivan Pachenham,
B Θ Π.

'23 Dona Eggan announced her engagement to Virgil Bedwell, Φ Δ Θ.

'23 Polly Thomas announced her engagement to Horton McCallie, K Σ.

'23 Zella Ellis announced her engagement to Leon Perrine, Σ A E.

Mrs A. Z. Hadley (Pearl Snyder), Lela Patch, Olive Merritt and Ruby Smith returned for initiation, Mar. 11.

'23 Helen Oakley announced her engagement to Chester H. Treichel of Portland, Ore.

BETA IOTA—UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO

Of course the big event since the last letter was our Founders' day luncheon in Denver. Beta Gamma, Beta Iota, and the Denver alumnae combined for the festivities. Fifty-five Thetas were present, and best of all, Mrs Lebrecht, District president, was with us.

Then we stole her from January 30 to February 4. I am quite sure she must have been wearied with all our troubles, for this baby chapter certainly has been having them. February 3 she helped us initiate Mary Tingley, Virginia Antrim, Frances Thompson, and Katherine Hollingsworth.

College has been a little too strenuous this winter quarter to allow for many festivities. We had a tea, February 11, for our new chaperon, Mrs Maxwell; a stunt for the Y. W. C. A. carnival; and our quarter dance, February 25. The rest of the time we have been really studying. It's no joke to live up to Colorado's scholarship standard.

We have four new pledges: Merryl Schwind, Kansas City; Lucile Gundrum, Boulder; Margaret Denny, Denver; and Flor-

ence McClung, Rocky Ford. These girls have all been making good records in college and will be initiated in a few weeks.

One new acquisition which pleases our chapter and gives us a new pride, is our three year lease on a new house. The house is of colonial type, with a large living-room and dining-room which we can use for our dances. It is only two blocks from the campus, and will accommodate eighteen girls. The main entertainment this spring is planning the furniture and decoration for each room.

We have started the spring quarter well. President Norlin has returned from a six months leave of absence. A chapter of Pi Kappa Alpha was installed March 17. We are holding a celebration because Ruth Noggles and Hazel Mayer are both back in college, having been out last quarter because of the illness of their mothers.

March 12 Oßera Hester entertained us at a clever announcement tea. She is engaged to Wallace Rawles, former editor of our humorous magazine, *The Dodo*.

28 March 1922

Hildred Bean

Isabel Young, Martha Hansen, and Marie Babcock, Kappa, of Denver, were here for our dance February 25.

'21 Helen Hurlburt has passed the law examination of New Mexico.

'23 Louise Loving spent the week-end of March 3 with us.

'24 Helen Stewart Lippman (Mrs M. L.) is in New York City.

BETA KAPPA—DRAKE UNIVERSITY

Life has been rather eventful these few months and in a brief résumé of our activities comes the *Freshman follies* in which five of our girls appeared. February 13 the pledges entertained us with original *Woody Villes* and all appreciated the sweet ransom received for Marcella Allen from Edgar Brown.

Initiation February 21 at the home of Bonnie Marshall, was followed by an artistically planned banquet at Hotel Savery. Alice Keister presided as toastmistress with responses from Mrs Herbert Scott, Alpha Gamma, on *Theta stars*; Bonnie Marshall, Alpha Delta, *The Theta constellation*; our president, Juanita Baumann, *Beta Kappa star*; Lucile McKee, a new initiate, *Theta starlites*, and Margaret Lewis of the pledges, *Recent rays*.

March 2 we pledged Helen Focht of Eagle Grove. Our tea at Craig house honored Dr Alice Blake, Alpha Delta, who, under the auspices of the Y. W. C. A. lectured on *Health* to the girls' student-body.

Tinsel, a strictly feminine achievement, was produced by the Drake Girls' athletic association. Twenty of our girls appeared in the novel choruses with Maurine Bredimus, ingenue, and Margaret Mather, futurist dancer; mention should be given Ruth Kimmel, property manager.

The gods have truly smiled upon us, for our newest pledge, Helen Focht, has been elected to the Mathematics and science club; Adah Shawver, to Kappa Delta Pi, educational; Juanita Baumann, to Forensic D and English club; and Anna Crane, vice-president of Y. W. C. A. Marion Brown, also a member of Forensic D club, will represent Zeta Phi Eta at convention, March 28, Syracuse, N. Y.

March 25 was the date of our luncheon for Marye Hutchins, whose marriage to Wm. Harold Sears was March 29.

The Style show to be given April 4 by the Home economics club is the original idea of Theo Hafner. Ruth Kimmel and Hazel Shaw will also take part.

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Lucile E. McKee

We are all interested in the wedding of Marye Hutchins to Wm. Harold Sears March 29. The ransom received March 6 was appreciated to the last bite. Marye has been honored by many lovely prenuptial courtesies from her alumnæ sisters, in the way of showers, luncheons, dinners, and bridge. Frances Sears, sister of the groom, has come home from National Park seminary to serve as maid of honor with Leona Fitzgerald and Norma Moore of our chapter, as bridesmaids.

Margaret Medbury Blackburn, with her husband and young son, is residing at the home of her father, Dr Chas. S. Medbury, 2804 Brattleboro.

Bonnie Marshall and Alice Tone Wells, Alpha Delta, with Bess Richards, Beta Kappa, are planning to attend convention.

BALTIMORE ALUMNÆ

Baltimore alumnæ meetings have been well attended this year, having an average of twenty from a roll of twenty-five.

We so enjoy being together that we decided one meeting a month was not enough, so we organized an afternoon sewing-club, to meet the first Tuesday in each month. We found exchanging patterns, new sweater stitches, and gossip, over a cup of tea, a very good means of becoming better acquainted with each other.

As Founders'-day always comes during the week of examinations at Goucher the alumnæ chapter takes charge of the celebration; this year we gave a luncheon and theater party. We chose Saturday, January 28, for our celebration so more of our college girls could attend: they showed their interest by appearing in full force, in spite of a raging blizzard.

In February we gave the college chapter an informal supper-party at the home of Esther Smith. It was quite a family party, the supper being served by Theta husbands, brothers, and fiancés. After supper we had a sing-song, ending with a snake dance through the house.

To raise money for the Scholarship fund we gave a subscription dance, March 3, at the Woman's club, Roland Park. It was a most enjoyable party, though not as successful financially as we had hoped. We expect, however, by a series of such parties to raise the desired amount.

Our May meeting is a joint meeting, in honor of Alpha Delta's seniors, and then in June comes the crowning event of the year—house-party!

29 March 1922

Mary Carter Fusselbaugh

'15 In February Alice Watson Billings was in Baltimore for the meeting of Alumnæ councillors of Goucher college.

'21 Gertrude Turk is to be married Apr. 8 to Mr Frank Roberts. Clara Davis, Anne Wilson and Anne Simpson are to be attendants.

BURLINGTON ALUMNÆ

Burlington alumnæ is so completely thrilled at the prospect of having convention right at her front door, that she thinks and talks of little except that and our new chapter house.

Our meetings this year have been monthly treats, joyously anticipated and delightfully realized, and the two topics of universal interest are making plans for the meeting in June and Lambda's new chapter house. Practically every one of us will be at Lake Placid to greet the rest of you when you arrive, and if you go from convention through Lake Champlain and the Green mountains, stop at Burlington and we will show you our chapter house, the first to be owned or occupied by a woman's fraternity at the University of Vermont.

This year we are following up our policy of keeping in close touch with the college chapter by appointing two alumnæ to attend each college chapter meeting, and two undergraduates frequently attend the alumnæ meetings. We celebrated Founders'-day together as usual, with a supper at the Blue Triangle hospitality house, after which we formulated and *carried out* plans for securing a chapter house.

Initiation was a happy reunion, as several alumnæ were in town for that and the Kollege Kake Walk and mid-winter carnival.

I am not going to tell you about Lambda's new chapter house (or have I mentioned it already?) as I expect the Lambda editor may have something about it in her letter.

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Pearl M. Grandy

CHAMPAIGN-URBANA ALUMNÆ

Champaign-Urbana alumnæ has been meeting every month of this academic year beginning with October, usually on the second Saturday and at the home of some member. So far, we have not been telling you about it, but that is the fault of circumstances, not of the corresponding editor.

The first meeting was, in accordance with our custom, the Officers' luncheon, held at the home of our new president, Mrs Edwin L. Draper. (Delta members of the early years of the century knew her as Frances Headen.) The writer was away from home the whole fall and so missed not only this happy occasion but another delight of October, the visit of L. Pearle Green, beloved of many Theta generations. Delta with the alumnæ chapter had a dinner at the Southern tea-room for our Grand secretary as honored and gracious guest.

Aside from the Officers' luncheon and the last meeting of the year, which is traditionally a picnic, the meetings this year have been assigned to certain hostesses who decide for themselves the nature of their programs. This has resulted in very enjoyable meetings. The November meeting was occupied with a very interesting demonstration of the manufacture of cream puffs, by Miss Elizabeth Harris of the university, followed by a general exchange of favorite recipes. Another pleasant meeting gave us a glimpse into the Orient through Chinese embroideries adorning Isabelle Jones's studio, beautiful mandarin coats on the hostesses, and a brief talk and a Chinese song by Miss Seelye, out of her experiences in the Far East. At the January meeting Pearl Mulliken officiated as auctioneer at a "White Elephant" sale, where everything from tempting pickles to exquisite embroideries and from outgrown toys to preposterous vases changed hands to the benefit of the chapter treasury. Lingering over the fun of the bidding and acquiring, we almost crowded out the discussion of the Warner system of accounting which was scheduled for the last half of the program. Mr Warner, who originated the plan called by his name, was at the university for a few days in the interests of the system, hoping to extend its operation to several additional fraternities, Delta chapter among them. Mary Davis, our chairman hostess of the month, is in the local office of the system, and was able to secure Mr Warner for our enlightenment. His talk was clear and convincing, so that we were able to rejoice intelligently when Delta elected to go on the Warner rolls.

The Fraternity Birthday we celebrated with Delta by a delicious dinner at the chapter house. There were appropriately-candled cakes, and a few talks about old times, and jolly chat kept us as long as we dared stay with semester examinations for the college girls so imminent. In February we enjoyed a musicale at Mrs Eisner's. We are quite "stuck up" over the musical ability within our chapter. When we enumerate Blanche Black Busey, Bess Lafin Eisner, Frances Headen Draper, Stella Percival, Katharine Seelye, Mrs Charles E. Johnson, and Mrs Forrest J. Miller, who with voice or fingers have delighted many a wider audience, we feel rich indeed in resources so often generously placed at our disposal. Mrs Miller comes to us from Kappa chapter, and Mrs Johnson was Mabel Hornbrook on Alpha Delta's and Iota's rolls. The latest meeting with Alice Fullenwider Lytle was particularly well attended. After animated discussion of several topics of current fraternity interest, Mrs Collins sprang a quizz on us, concerning the chapter roll, the districts, and the national organization generally. It were best to draw a kindly veil over the revelations of that quiz! We could gambol gaily among the chapters of the primary alphabet, but were rather "scattering" in the Alphas and Betas, and in other valuable information.

For news, we wish to record the recently announced engagement of Lois Greene Guild (Mrs T. H.) and Dr Jacob Zeitlin, Associate professor of English at the university.

Mrs Lewis Ward Williams, who represents Mu in our chapter, gave birth to a potential Father of his country February 22.

I feel moved to call the attention of the sisterhood, especially the active membership, to the article in the March *Atlantic* entitled *The passing of the chaperon*. It is by Thomas Arkle Clark, the Dean of men at "our" university, who with his charming wife is so well liked he would surely receive as courteous treatment at the student functions as any of the older people. That he can write as he has indicates that none of us may expect

that gentle consideration from the younger folk in their social affairs that we may be old-fashioned enough to feel one of the finer flowers of breeding. Is their own young fun so much to them that they cannot spare a few minutes to show these elders, who are really doing them a favor at the cost of some trouble to themselves, that they are not merely a necessary evil? It is not a heartening feeling, that! I should be proud, if the tradition should grow everywhere that it is always a pleasant task to chaperon Thetas.

29 March 1922

Margaret Boynton Windsor

DENVER ALUMNÆ

Theta meetings in Denver continue to be almost entirely social in character. Once a month we bring our own sewing to the home of some member and transact a small amount of business, talk a large amount of talk, and eat delicious eats.

There are now thirty names on our roll. As new members we were glad to welcome Mrs Charles Webster (Mary Snodgrass, Beta); Mrs Stanley Young (Nydia Acker, Beta Delta); Mrs J. J. Baeder (Helen Parr, Alpha Mu); Marie Babcock, Kappa; Mrs Lawson Gilbert (Jean Anderson, Kappa); Mrs Charles Burr (Anna Funke, Rho); Marjorie Platt and Zebuline Murray, Beta Gamma; and Gayle Isensee, Alpha Omega.

Our principal efforts toward social service are for the Needlework guild and the birthday cake work at Fitzsimmons hospital. Early last fall we gave twenty-four garments for the guild, and throughout the year we have an active birthday cake committee. This work was undertaken with the other fraternities composing Denver Panhellenic. Each fraternity is responsible for a ward in the infirmary at the Government hospital and when a sick boy has a birthday some of us try to be there with a home-cooked cake.

During Christmas holidays we were particularly gay with several parties in honor of our college girls. Marjorie Platt gave a tea, also Joyce Broady Clark. Willa Spier Modesitte had a most delightful Monte Carlo, and a few afternoons later Nellie Riedesel Pool and Helen Hollingsworth Shafor were our hostesses. Another afternoon early in January Mary Parker Freeland asked us to her home to meet her sister.

Then came our Founders'-day luncheon at the Shirley-Savoy hotel with fifty-five Thetas present. Mrs Hal Lebrecht was our honored guest, and after luncheon she spoke to us concerning the growth of Theta in Colorado and about the convention in June. Then the girls from Beta Iota gave a clever parody of rushing season.

Zebuline Murray is to be our delegate to convention. Joyce Clark, Nellie Pool and Willa Modesitte also are planning to go.

We expect to continue our luncheons, at 12:30 on the third Saturday of each month, at Daniels and Fisher's tea-room. We are hoping that the summer will bring us many new Thetas from other chapters.

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Rebecca Moody Burkholder

Willa Spier Modesitte (Mrs Carl L.) Rho and Alpha Mu, has been for six weeks in California, where she is convalescing from an operation.

Joyce Broady Clark (Mrs John D.) Rho, has just returned from a visit in New York state.

Mr and Mrs Haynes Freeland (Mary Parker, Gamma) have a son, Haynes, jr. born Aug. 22, 1921.

DES MOINES ALUMNÆ

The first Thursday afternoon of each month we Des Moines alumnæ have met at the home of some member with an average attendance of eighteen. After finishing routine business a program and social hour followed when tea was served, a committee of three assisting the hostess. Several members are interested in city welfare work, one is vice-president of Y. W. C. A., one is on board of Campfire Girls, also board of city Federation of women's clubs, many are serving on committees of Des Moines woman's club which is raising money for a new club house.

While in the city, the first week in March, giving constructive health lectures, Dr Eva Blake, Alpha Delta, was the guest of Mrs E. K. Eberhart (Maude Kingman), also visiting Miss Bonnie Marshall and Mrs Alice Tone Wells, a most happy reunion of four Alpha Delta girls.

Four of our Thetas were included in the Delta Gamma tea given recently for their Grand president, Mrs J. Ralph Wilbur of Evanston, Illinois.

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Alice Tone Wells

DETROIT ALUMNÆ

Detroit alumnæ meetings have been, this year, varied in nature but unvaried in success. October brought a luncheon at the College club; November, a tea for our brides at the Ingleside club; December, our annual and never-to-be-missed children's party at the usual place, the home of Elizabeth Williams Weber. There, sixty adults and children, part of the latter belonging to part of the former and the rest borrowed by the less fortunate spinsters, laughed, played and ate together. The babies did not cry; the children did not quarrel; the grown-ups did not scold; and the sentiments of all were expressed by one borrowed boy, who said, "Good time? Well, it was anything but a bad time." A supper in January at the home of Jessie Obetz Rose, Founders'-day luncheon at the Statler hotel, and a musical tea at the home of the president, Mrs H. E. Epley, have brought our calendar up to date. Another supper and luncheon are to come and a picnic will end our year's program.

An increase of twenty-five in the membership roll and a corresponding increase in the coffers have enabled the chapter to double its last year's contribution to the Scholarship fund, donate a bit to the starving children of Russia, contribute to the Oriental colleges, and make happy the Christmas of one blind woman in Philadelphia and a number of the inhabitants of the southern Kentucky mountains in the Caney Creek community center.

Jan. 9, Ray, jr. made his appearance in the home of Ruby Severance Gripman (Mrs Ray); Feb. 15, Olivia Williams Davis' third baby, Barbara Moore, was born.

Margaretta Douglas has returned from a trip abroad and is teaching in Detroit.

Dorothy Williams is studying at Columbia university.

Ethel Obetz Fullenwider (Mrs Allan) is living in Redford, Mich.

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Agnes G. Carpenter

HOUSTON ALUMNÆ

Along with "the faithful," usually goes the qualifying word few, making it the faithful few, but in the case of the Houston alumnæ there are more than the faithful few who attend the monthly meetings. On ac-

count of bereavement in the family, the president, Sallie Wynne Reynaud (Mrs Will), has not attended the meetings. Most of the sessions have been a combination business and social meeting, presided over by Bernardine Field, vice-president. Other officers for the year have been: Dorothy Doty Murphy (Mrs Frank), secretary; Gladys Ritchie, treasurer; Carrie Neal Munroe (Mrs Malcolm), recording secretary; and Myrtle Garrett Kiley (Mrs Frank), JOURNAL editor. Besides the monthly meetings a weekly luncheon is had at the University club.

The scholarship committee conducted a rummage sale in February and collected a part of the amount decided upon for the yearly contribution to the Scholarship fund. Another rummage sale will be held April 15 and the remainder of the money acquired.

Anne Thornton Nash (Mrs J. P.) and Bessie Eilers Beverly (Mrs A. F.) of Austin, were in Houston recently and were honorees at a pretty luncheon given at the University club by Houston alumnæ. Garland Bonner Howard (Mrs George) also complimented them with a luncheon at the University club, having her guest list include most of the alumnæ chapter. Lucy and Ruth Johnson were guests of their sister, Louise Johnson Johnson (Mrs Parks), and were complimented with an informal luncheon at the Canterbury tea room. Maidel Baker entertained a group of alumnæ at a luncheon at Ye Towne tavern, in honor of Blake Gibbs Youens (Mrs Arthur).

Ethel Sykes Washington (Mrs Claud) is living in Atlanta, Ga. where her husband, Major Washington, is connected with the Georgia school of technology.

Katherine Wells Taylor (Mrs Howard) is living in Galveston, Tex.

Lucile Jones Baldwin (Mrs Jack) is spending the year in New York, where her husband, Dr Baldwin, is taking postgraduate work.

Henryetta Lightfoot, who has been out of college several years, has re-entered the University of Texas and will take her B.A. degree in June.

Elizabeth Johnson Duncan (Mrs Howell) is taking work in the University of Pennsylvania while her husband is completing a course in the medical department.

Norma Cunningham is at the head of a social service work with headquarters in Amarillo. She is also devoting a part of her time to the work of the American legion.

Fanny Sellars Elliott (Mrs Walton H.) can be reached at Port Arthur, Tex. through The Texas co.

Frances Bradley is planning a trip abroad this summer.

Mildred Jones left college after Christmas and is spending the spring in New York.

Harriet Ellis Deshon (Mrs Percy) lives at 414 E. 20th st. Long Beach, Cal.

Mary and Marjorie Watson, Lee and Virginia Wolfin, and Louise Montgomery will tour Europe during the summer.

Crystal Ross will spend her summer vacation at a girls' camp in Maine.

Emma Joe Harris Short (Mrs Howard) is spending the year with her mother at 203 Gravilla av. Porterville, Cal.

Virginia Wolfin will take her B.A. degree in June, at Wellesley.

Mrs W. S. Woodruff (Eveline Abbott, Psi) is living at 5420 La Branche st. Houston, Tex.

Agnes Hall, Psi, assistant student secretary for the Episcopal church, was a guest of Alpha Theta chapter for a part of Founders'-day festivities.

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Myrtle Garrett Kiley

INDIANAPOLIS ALUMNÆ

During its twenty-seventh year, Charlotte Lesh, Psi, has headed Indianapolis alumnae chapter. On our membership roll are nearly two hundred names, and the average attendance at meetings is about seventy. In spite of growing numbers, we still meet at homes of members. Some of the other local alumnae chapters have transferred their meetings to hotels or club houses, and report both gain and loss—gain in attendance and in convenience to hostesses and guests and perhaps a little loss of the intimate touch of personal hospitality. For the present, at any rate, Theta is continuing the old plan.

Probably the most interesting feature of Indianapolis alumnae's activity is the social service work at Robert W. Long hospital. Irma Weyerbacher van Tassel (Mrs C. J.) has been the chairman of our board, which has provided dolls and stuffed animals for seventy-five children, arranged automobile rides for the convalescents, and contributed regularly \$5.00 a month to the work of the children's ward, besides maintaining an emergency fund of about \$170.00.

In September we gave our customary reception for Gamma and her rushees at the home of Charlotte Lesh. In October we made a pilgrimage to Greenfield, the home of James Whitcomb Riley, where we were beautifully entertained by a committee of Greenfield Thetas, at the home of Ella Hurst Hough (Mrs William). Mr Hough, a cousin and intimate friend of James Whitcomb Riley, and an accomplished reader of Riley's works, gave a delightful program. Features of other meetings have been an original story by Kate Milner Rabb, a travel talk by Jean Brown, just returned from several months abroad, and a card party at the Spink-Arms. We are still to have an April party, a musicale, and a picnic at the lovely country place of ex-Governor Ralston, father of Ruth Ralston, Alpha.

31 March 1922

Ruth O'Hair

KANSAS CITY ALUMNÆ

Our number now reaches the 100 mark, thirty-seven being active. An average of thirty attend the monthly luncheons, every other one of which is held on Saturday, thus enabling the school "marms" and business girls to come at least one half the time.

Work this year has embraced lines of service other than charity. A sum was given the Missouri university memorial fund, corresponding to a similar fund given Kansas university last spring. Money for each was derived from a card party last year.

Efforts have also been directed toward helping swell Alpha Mu's building fund—a like amount sent Kappa for her new home some years back.

Our charitable efforts divide themselves into two branches—work for local Panhellenic and that of our own. A benefit bridge party furnished the means for Panhellenic's support of a high school girl. Nellie Taylor Musselman (Mrs J. C.) made an efficient chairman.

Last fall we bought a screen for the Child Welfare board for use in laboratory work. At a recent meeting we pledged a sum equivalent to one-half a scholarship to enable a deserving high school girl to complete her freshman year.

On Founders'-day we enjoyed delicious refreshments at the tea hour at Geraldine Brown Backstrom's (Mrs Lathrop) cosy tea-room.

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Claudine Gossett

Anna Harrison Nelson (Mrs L. F.) has been allied with the Child Welfare board of Kansas City and is also now in charge of the high school investigation committee of the American association of university women.

Madge Schaum Weaver (Mrs John) is at the head of the Kansas university alumnae here.

Jessie Baldrige Lebrecht (Mrs Hal), District V's president, has moved into her lovely new home, recently completed.

Mr and Mrs Frank Strieby (Grace Lang) announce the birth of a daughter.

Sympathy is extended Mary Reese Mantz (Mrs H. L.) upon the recent death of her father.

LINCOLN ALUMNÆ CHAPTER

Theta alumnae have been particularly active this season, meeting for luncheon the first Saturday of each month. Our plan has been to have four hostesses each time, with a definite hour and place to meet.

The chapter now numbers fifty, including three new members: Mildred Ellis Potter, Psi (Mrs Cedric), Nell Aydelotte Rice (Mrs J. A. jr.) and Louise Herron of Vanderbilt.

Our efforts this year have been directed toward the house fund, which is making decided and definite advancement under the guidance and trusteeship of Rose Carson.

Alice Towne Deweese (Mrs Fred) has been quite seriously ill for some time at the Clarkson hospital, Omaha. She is now convalescing and will soon be at home.

Sally Weston and G. W. Simmons were married in January; they will be at home at Muncie, Ind.

Catherine Pierce and John Hadley Scott, married, address: 715 West 8th, Erie.

Ann Shafer Cunningham announces the birth of a daughter.

Alice Proudfit Noble announces the birth of a daughter; Emma Garrett, the birth of a son; and Julia Hainer O'Connor, the birth of a daughter.

Luella Patt is teaching at Creston, Iowa, and Mildred Smith at Columbus, Neb.

Ruth Beecher Brian sailed for Panama March 14, with her husband and baby. Address: care of Capt A. R. Brian, 42nd Inf. Camp Gaillard, Canal Zone, Panama.

27 March 1922

L. Percival Morrison

LOS ANGELES ALUMNÆ

The California weather is not behaving itself this spring at all, and many of you will read this letter and smile knowingly when I tell you that most of our meetings have been on very disagreeable days.

Our February meeting was certainly a treat. We had the honor and pleasure of having with us Baroness Helene de Bisping of Poland. She is a close friend of one of our members, Placidia Gardner Chelsey, Omieron. Mrs Chelsey was actively engaged in war work in Poland with the American Red Cross, and was associated often with the Baroness there. Baroness de Bisping gave us an interesting talk on Poland, touching upon war day experiences under German and Bolshevik occupations.

At this meeting, held at the Parmalee home, our hostesses were Mrs J. F. Knight, Mrs Maurice Tweedie, Mrs Clyde Collison, and Miss Isobel Bowles.

Our membership is growing in two ways: first, our newly graduated girls, who, having left the college chapters, are taking up the alumnae work; and second, those Thetas who come to Los Angeles from other alumnae chapters and affiliate with us.

Our newest members are Marjorie Test and Esther Flowers, both of Stanford. Esther has opened an art shop in Pasadena where she makes lovely lamp shades of her own designing.

We hope to get all the girls just out of college interested right away in the alumnae chapter. Our chapter now has as many '18, '19, '20, and '21 girls in it as '98 and '99s, and we have the best and most interesting meetings.

I will add some personals so that you may see where those of your alumnae who have come to Los Angeles, are living and what they are doing.

Marion Coffey, a member of our group until Christmas, was married to Warren Edwards Feb. 4. They will live in Eugene, Ore. where Mr. Edwards is in business.

Elsie Sawyer, Eta, had the sad news this winter, of the death of her eldest nephew, a student at University of California. Miss Sawyer resides at 39 N. Michigan av. Pasadena, Cal.

Irene Seabury, Alpha Epsilon, of Providence, R. I. is at the Hotel Maryland, Pasadena, for the winter.

Mrs Arthur E. Strong, Chi, has moved to Pasadena. Address: 1621 Walworth av. Pasadena, Cal.

Helen Parker Record, Phi, who was married in Dec. is living at 728 Magnolia av. Los Angeles, Cal.

Ellen Goodrich, Upsilon, is spending the winter in California. Address: 99 S. Grand Oak av. Pasadena; telephone, Colorado 1503.

Lilian and Mary Grundy, 945 N. Holliston av. Pasadena, are attending University of California this semester. They are living at the Theta Center in Berkeley.

Elizabeth Whitcomb, one of Omicron's first members, lost her brother recently.

Ida Banta Lindley and her sister, Mrs Coffin, of Whittier, Cal. have recently lost their brother. Miss Lindley and her sister are charter members of Omicron, and those who know them will send love and sympathy.

Eva Caradine, Psi, is spending the winter in Cal.

Alberta Hanna, Phi, 97 N. Orange Grove av. Pasadena, is just recovering from an operation for appendicitis.

Lois McCrea Ramsay, Omega, has recently bought a new home in Hollywood. Address: 1327 Sierra Bonita av.

Helen Geary Hubbard, Omega, has a baby son born in Feb.

Louemma Waters, of Washington university, has gone to N. Y. to live. She was in Los Angeles for a short time and we enjoyed having her at our meetings. Her address is Hotel Martinique. N. Y.

Lois McCrea Ramsay

MILWAUKEE ALUMNÆ

Two new recruits swell the ranks of Milwaukee alumne to thirty members. Ruth Boyd, Alpha, now a senior at Downer college, was with us at our last meeting, and Mrs Edmund M. Simon (Helen Head, Psi '07) whose address is 836 Summit, and whom we hope to have with us in April.

Our winter luncheons have been well attended, and enthusiasm increases with each reunion. The February luncheon was at the home of Mrs Marvin Creager, with Louise Alder, Mrs James Gregg and Mrs Fred Gezelschap assisting hostesses. The March luncheon was at the home of Mrs Thomas Gill with Minnie Hurley and Mrs Edward Smart assisting.

The April chairman is Mrs George Luhman, and the plan is to have a tea for the college girls at home during the spring vacation.

We hope to have three representatives at convention: Mrs William Dallas is delegate, with Frieda Reynolds alternate and convention captain. Minnie Hurley plans to be there also.

Milwaukee alumne has become a member of the Central council of social agencies, with Anna Williams as representative. We are especially interested in the Council because of the active social work of Mrs H. H. Jacobs at the University settlement.

Two engagements are announced in Milwaukee alumne chapter: Adelaide Paine, Psi '19, to Eugene P. Fishburn; Helen Cummings, Psi '18, to Pahman V. Bower.

Mr and Mrs Charles E. Bates (Eunice Congdon, Chi '15) have a boy, Bruce Stanley, born Feb. 3.

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Helen Alder Creager

NEW ORLEANS ALUMNÆ

Our meetings this year have followed the plan which we found so successful last year. We meet every month at the homes of those members who are most conveniently located, with groups of three acting as hostesses at each meeting. We have also continued the plan of sewing during the meetings on children's garments for the Child Welfare and other local charity organizations.

Early in November the alumne chapter entertained Alpha Phi chapter at a levee party and "weinie" roast, which served to bring us all together informally, with songs and stunts around the bonfire. Just before Christmas we met Alpha Phi again at a Dutch supper in the fraternity room; we spent the early part of the evening pasting pictures in scrap-books for children in the hospitals, and later on they were guests at our meeting.

The alumne stunt at the Founders'-day banquet—*The seven ages of a fraternity girl*, a parody in pantomime—was quite successful. This year the alumne present at the banquet outnumbered the college girls by one.

The rummage sale for the benefit of the Scholarship fund was not as successful as it might have been, owing to inclement weather, but we are hoping for better results when we repeat it this spring.

At our April meeting we will entertain the mothers of our members, as is our custom each year, and at the last meeting we have the graduating members of the college chapter as our guests.

28 March 1922

Dorothy Hay

OKLAHOMA ALUMNÆ

Our annual Founders'-day banquet was held January 28 in the banquet hall of the Skirvin hotel. The customary toasts were dispensed with, and our entertainment consisted of a number of interesting readings, songs, and dances from the college chapter. A larger number of Thetas attended this year than ever before, but we all wished for Miss Betty Newsom, whom we were so fortunate as to have had with us last year.

In a former letter I told you of our plans to make community service the basis of our year's work. This work is carried on through Jen Tolbert, one of our members, who has charge of the welfare work at the State University hospital.

We gave a charity bridge February 25 to raise money for this work. We feel that our efforts were repaid in every way, for we cleared \$125.00, all of which was voted to Miss Tolbert to be used as she sees fit.

3 April 1922

Mary L. Virgin

PHILADELPHIA ALUMNÆ

Following our usual custom, we have been holding our regular monthly meetings at the College club, followed by a varied form of entertainment and supper. At one meeting Mrs Crispin spoke on the Philadelphia chapter of the Pennsylvania Federation of girls' clubs, in which she is an enthusiastic worker. She mentioned particularly the Whitford Lodge, the vacation house for the girls, and told of the Blue and Gray shop, a children's clothing specialty shop which is a means of supporting the federation.

Later in the fall Beta Eta entertained us at a delightful tea in their chapter rooms where we also held a business meeting. Our greatest event of the season though, was the birthday luncheon and Theta tableau at the Bellevue-Stratford. It was a big success!

Beta Eta again came to the fore at our February meeting, giving us a thoroughly enjoyable evening of vaudeville. Our absent members of that date regret now that they failed to come.

Our meetings this winter we feel have been especially beneficial to us, since it was our great privilege to be able to keep in close touch with many other Theta chapters. Mrs Haviland and Anne Miller, both of whom we are proud to own, have visited at many different colleges and reported back to us. Our interest is always aroused whenever we receive such first-hand information of conditions in other chapters and in groups petitioning us.

Another activity of ours has been trying to swell the Scholarship fund. Through profits made on selling silk stockings, plus voluntary gifts, we are now contributing \$68.00 to the fund.

Our closing meetings promise to be interesting. Thetas, come! April meeting will be held at Hamilton Court, Mrs Ferguson entertaining at an evening of games; May meeting we expect to hold out of town.

30 March 1922

Dorothy Noe

PITTSBURGH ALUMNÆ

Pittsburgh alumnae is still busy with social work, that of supplying knitted articles and entertainment to the soldiers of the Marine hospital, located in Pittsburgh. March 29 was Theta night at the hospital. The entertainment was in the form of a vaudeville. The alumnae were greatly

aided by the girls of Alpha Omega, who very successfully put on three or four acts. Refreshments were served after the vaudeville stunts, and then about an hour was spent in social dancing. The boys all voted our entertainment a big success.

Through the untiring efforts of our president, Mrs K. C. Randall, about \$200.00 has been realized from the sale of the articles made by the men in the hospital.

Founders' day was celebrated by Pittsburgh alumnae and Alpha Omega at a luncheon at the Hotel Schenley. A very delightful program followed the luncheon, Ruth Fleming, Alpha Omega, being toastmistress. Toasts were given by Mrs W. H. Pratt and Anna Sleese, Mu, and Irene Horner, president of Alpha Omega.

Pittsburgh alumnae entertained at tea in the College club in honor of Marjory Maxwell, Alpha Nu, who was in Pittsburgh with the Chicago Grand opera company.

Many chapters are represented this year in the membership: Alpha, 2; Chi, 1; Delta, 2; Iota, 3; Lambda, 1; Mu, 13; Omega, 1; Rho, 2; Zeta, 1; Alpha Beta, 2; Alpha Delta, 3; Alpha Omega, 29; Alpha Theta, 1; Alpha Upsilon, 1.

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Leora Graham, Alpha Omega, to Mr C. S. Rixmann of New York and Pittsburgh.

Louise Culley, Alpha Omega, is again in Pittsburgh, after spending several years in North Carolina. Her engagement to Dr Norton McWhinney of Pittsburgh has been announced recently.

1 April 1922

Ruth Fleming

PORTLAND ALUMNÆ

Since our last letter we have had the February and March meetings at which we transacted the customary business.

During this week the Chicago Grand opera company was here and this gave some of our out-of-town alumnae an opportunity to make us a visit and enjoy the singing of Marjory Maxwell who took part in three operas. Marjory was a former Portland girl and a Theta at the University of Montana.

The Portland alumnae gave her a smart tea at the University club the last day of her engagement which brought out the largest attendance of any meeting we have ever had. Miss Maxwell's singing was greatly enjoyed by those fortunate enough to be present. She was recently married to Mr C. W. Felder, a business man of Chicago.

Among those here for the opera were: Fielda and Eleanor McClaine, Mrs Winifred Hadley Kuykendall, Mrs Ruth Flynn Barrett, and Mrs Virginia Peterson Walker.

Ruth Nicholson, Beta Epsilon, married to George Kreiger, and they are now living in Hood River, Ore.

30 March 1922

Eva Allen Bean

PROVIDENCE ALUMNÆ

We of Providence alumnae feel a little envious when we read of the large membership in some of the alumnae chapters, but we rejoice in an intimacy which large numbers would make impossible. When Beatrice Kolberg was chosen as convention delegate we all felt as if one of our own sisters had been honored. Two girls who had been away from our little

circle for an appalling length of time visited us this year: Helen Humphrey Marden graced our informal and delightful luncheon at the Plantations club, and Lou Bates Guild '98 enlivened the January meeting.

Adelaide Burton Sayles is embodying her ideas of how history should be taught to children in a text book on which she is working.

Our Alma Mater continues to grow and change: the foundations for the Metcalf laboratory are being laid next to Caswell hall.

Dean King has tendered her resignation, believing that she is entitled to a rest and a chance to continue her work in archæology after seventeen years of service to the college.

1 April 1922

Ruth Foster Porter

SAN FRANCISCO ALUMNÆ

San Francisco alumnae is at the close of their second happy year in their own home. We feel we can be justly proud of this home, for it represents the realization of a dream long cherished by the chapter. It was due to the courageous leadership and loyal industry of Bertha Fisher Robinson (Mrs McDonald) that in the summer of 1920 we undertook to open our own chapter house. The Theta Center, as it is called, acts as a home for transfers attending the University of California and for alumnae Thetas holding positions in the vicinity of San Francisco. It also serves as club rooms for the San Francisco alumnae chapter and is the scene of many sociable chats by the fire, as well as more formal gatherings.

The activities of the chapter have naturally centered around this home, and we hope to make it a useful and inspiring link to bind us to all chapters of our fraternity. We want Thetas everywhere to know of the Theta Center and of the welcome that awaits them there. Our Calling committee is eager to find you and to bring you to our home.

Last year during the intersession and summer session of the University of California we were glad to have visitors from many chapters, including Beta, Alpha Theta, Mu, Chi, Delta, Beta Delta, and Eta. These Thetas were entertained by the chapter on three special occasions: at a Sunday evening supper at the Center; at a tea at the home of one of our members, where a varied program by Theta talent caused much mirth and good cheer; and at a picnic supper in the John Hinkel park in Berkeley. During the summer our regular meetings were not suspended, for we did not wish to forego the pleasure of our monthly gatherings.

Early in the fall we initiated into our chapter with a simple ceremony, the then recently graduated senior class of Omega, with whom we try to keep in close touch. These two chapters were joint hostesses at the time of District VI convention last September. The opening event was a luncheon held at the Theta Center to greet the delegates.

San Francisco alumnae has charge of the Armenia milk bottles in Berkeley, which receive contributions for the Near East relief, and last winter collected a gratifying sum for this cause. Every Christmas this chapter provides a dinner and tree for a large family in need, and this last Christmas their appeals to Thetas met the usual generous response.

The celebration of Founders'-day brought together many Thetas from near and far at the annual luncheon at the Fairmont hotel in San Francisco. That is always a happy day, for it is the best and often only opportunity for many Thetas to renew old friendships and make new ones.

During the year our ranks were invaded by Dan Cupid, who caused much excitement by claiming seven of our members. We are fortunate that only two of these are unable, because of change of residence, to continue their affiliation with this chapter.

Now we are looking forward with interest to the convention. Those of us who are not lucky enough to attend will have to content ourselves with reports of the convention from our delegate, Edith Ackerman Greathead (Mrs J. F.). In the meantime the intersession and summer session of the University of California will be in progress, and we are hoping to have with us all Thetas who are planning to attend. Help us spread the glad word of the Theta Center. Come and enjoy with us our Theta home.

The new president of District VI is May Chase Freeborn (Mrs Stanley) a member of our chapter.

Leslie Wilde Ganyard (Mrs Mervyn) Omega, now lives in Seattle, Wash. Harriet Judd Eliel (Mrs Paul) Omega, has been appointed by Governor Stephens as a member of the Alumni Visiting board, composed of seven California alumni (a great honor!).

The following members have recently been married: Hazel Rader, Alpha Xi, to Charles Henry Blesse, Oakland, Cal.—Frances Bliss, Omicron, to Leslie Rogers—Ruth Weills, Beta, to Raymond Morgan, Pi Kappa Alpha, Berkeley.

Besides the members of Phi, Omega, and San Francisco alumnae chapters, the following Thetas were present at the Founders'-day luncheon: May Weir Sedam, Beta, of Washington, D. C.; Martha Earl Graham, Omega, of Lancaster, Cal.; Pearl Chase, Omega, of Santa Barbara, Cal.; Dorothy Pernot, Beta Epsilon, of Corvallis, Ore.; Katherine Watson Avison, Alpha Xi; Ruby L. Coffin, Beta Gamma; Elizabeth Keiper, Iota.

25 March 1922

Elsa M. Schilling

SYRACUSE ALUMNÆ

Announcement of a luncheon October 1 was the signal for Theta alumnae in Syracuse to come together for their first regular meeting. It was one of the most successful first meetings in years, with several new members, the result of a recruiting party last May. The college chapter had been invited to tea, so the meeting was delayed until the girls could be there. It made a helpful program to have discussion of *An ideal college Theta* from the standpoint of an alumna and of *An ideal alumna* from a college girl's viewpoint.

At an afternoon meeting November 19 the mite box of the Scholarship committee was brought out for the first time. Most of the members dropped in the equivalent of their carfare, so the box jingled quite musically on its way home. Each alumna was asked to earn a dollar to be given to the Scholarship committee on January 27.

December 27 was the date for our annual Christmas party. Olivia Pratt gave an account of some intimate experiences in her talk on *In the West with a Theta pin*.

January 27 we had our birthday party at the chapter house. It was to be a supper party, so the regular meetings of both chapters were held in the afternoon. After supper the gift to the chapter house was presented, three pretty, comfortable chairs for the veranda. The program which followed was as interesting as could be; accounts of personal experiences in

the chapter house in the early days of Chi, stories of thrilling escapes, romances, and indignation meetings.

Our election of officers took place at an afternoon meeting on March 11. Ollie Ross Walch, our efficient president of this year, was elected to serve us again both as president and as delegate to convention.

With convention so near an opportunity to be a singing alumnae chapter ought to be given; so at an evening meeting April 7 we are to be given a chance to brush up on the songs we used to know and to learn new ones.

A supper meeting May 5 completes the year's program. No program has been planned, but with every one brimming over with enthusiasm for the convention in June there will be plenty of interesting informal discussion.

25 March 1922

Helen Porterfield Quirt

Mr and Mrs C. E. Bates (Eunice Congdon) announce the birth of Bruce Stanley Bates Feb 3, 1922, at Milwaukee.

Mr and Mrs W. H. C. Grimes (Louise Griswold) are now at home at Brookline, Mass.

TORONTO ALUMNÆ

Due to our very efficient president and treasurer, the alumnae chapter has a larger membership than usual. Meetings have been held at the various members' homes or at Sigma's chapter room the first Monday of each month. The January and February meetings were omitted because of the jolly Founders'-day party at Jane Wilson's and the Sigma dance which was this year a house-dance at the home of Allison Ewart '22. In December the college chapter met with us, our president in the chair, and we plan to have a similar meeting in April when Sigma will conduct the meeting. We feel that in this way the two chapters may come closer and be of greater service to each other. We were delighted to have Helen Wright, District president, with us at our last meeting. Phyllis and Mary Anderson gave a very delightful dinner for the executive to meet Miss Wright before the regular meeting.

The alumnae were well represented at the initiation held January 10 at Freda Fraser's home, when the chapter initiated seven pledges. Several of us were at the house-party on Lake Simcoe last spring and are looking forward to this year's as eagerly as the actives.

Elizabeth Hargreaves '17 is to be our delegate to convention and at least four others expect to accompany her. We are hoping and planning for a day with the conventionites when the Special stops at Niagara Falls June 23, and want every Theta hereabouts to join with us.

27 March 1922

Mary Millman

TACOMA ALUMNÆ

Tacoma alumnae began its active season with a luncheon at the home of Mrs A. H. Barnhisel, president, on the second Saturday in October. The outstanding feature of the meeting was the very interesting report on the District convention in Seattle, given by Mrs Eugene White, which brought us all into close touch with the work and plans of our neighbor chapters, both college and alumnae.

It was unanimously decided to have luncheon meetings at the various homes again this year, and to have every Theta in Tacoma a member if

possible. This has been practically accomplished, and our total membership is nineteen, with an average attendance of twelve. Those having Saturday work cannot attend meetings regularly, but cooperate splendidly in all work.

The December meeting was devoted to plans for making Christmas a real event for a large family of motherless children. Dolls were dressed, games, books, home-made candy, cake, nuts and fruits were subscribed, and delivered in mysterious, Christmasy parcels.

In recognition of Founders'-day, Mrs C. A. Robbins, Alpha, gave us a most interesting program at the January meeting. She depicted the life of a pledge, the freshman training and initiation at Alpha in her day, following which each other member gave, in brief, the striking similarities or differences in her chapter, during her college days.

At the February meeting we took up the study and discussion of the January JOURNAL, particularly the article on *Growth*. At each meeting from now on, we will have a brief program bearing on important fraternity and college problems and progress, as a stimulus to broader knowledge, keener interest, and closer cooperation in the current work being done by college people.

20 March 1922

Leotta Morris

We greatly miss Julia and Marie Vestal, who are teaching this year, Julia in Panama, and Marie in the University of Porto Rico.

Helen Little, Alpha Nu, is here as physical director of the Y. W. C. A. to succeed Hazel Baird, also Alpha Nu, who became Mrs Raymond Beil in April, 1921.

Helen York is spending six weeks in California.

Mrs Frank Brokaw of Ocean Falls, B. C. was a Tacoma visitor in January, and attended our monthly luncheon.

Hazel Backus, Alpha Nu, was married in July, 1921, to Arthur York, Δ K E, of the University of Washington. Address: 1701 N. Steele st.

Mr and Mrs Eugene White were patron and patroness at the annual formal of Alpha Lambda, in Feb.

Alice Elvins, Alpha Sigma, is a new member of Tacoma alumnæ, having recently moved here from Puyallup.

Eva Kelly, Beta Epsilon, is here doing reconstructive aid work in the U. S. Public health service hospital.

Charlotte Plummer Perry (Mrs Howard) has been made head of the grade school girl reserve work of the Y. W. C. A.

Elizabeth Burrows, Chi, has recently come to Tacoma, in charge of recreation work for neuro-psychiatric cases in the Red Cross department of the U. S. Public health service hospital.

WASHINGTON ALUMNÆ

While the snow was piling up knee deep outside on January 27, twenty-seven Washington Theta alumnæ were happily celebrating Founders'-day with a formal dinner in the attractive Tea house of the Grace Dodge hotel, where an atmosphere and spirit of Theta reigned supreme. Theta colors were attractively carried out in the table decorations, menu and the large birthday cake with its fifty-two burning candles. Because of several new faces among the group, at the request of Mrs Theron Sager, who presided, every one present arose in turn and gave her name, her chapter and, perhaps,

a word of greeting. Songs, toasts and a clever interpretative clown dance by Corinne Frazier, Alpha Eta, and Helen Marbut, Alpha Mu, added to the joyous spirit of the evening.

An experiment for getting together the alumnae of this city, particularly those Thetas who find it difficult to attend the regular monthly meeting, was tried by giving a luncheon at the Cosmos club on Tuesday, February 14. Thirty-three Thetas were present. It will probably be decided at the next chapter meeting whether or not a definite date will be set aside in each month for a Theta luncheon downtown for permanent and visiting Thetas.

Washington alumnae is missing dreadfully two of her most active members, Glenn Martin Davidson and Edith Holdstock. Glenn left us to become the bride of Mr A. B. Davidson and will reside in San Francisco, and Edith felt that she must return to Vermont, her native state, after an absence of several years. Both girls came to Washington to serve the government during the war and during this time have won a warm place in the heart of each of us. Edith was treasurer of the chapter and Glenn had been corresponding secretary.

Mary L. Worsham

In Memoriam

FLORENCE ROACH MARTIN

February 25 at Bangalore, India, died Florence Roach Martin, Alpha '06. Florence Roach married Clyde Sayers Martin, June 3, 1909, this being the culmination of a college romance, while they were both students at De Pauw.

Mr Martin was in the forestry service and they spent a number of years in the Pacific Northwest with headquarters at Seattle. Then they went to India in 1920, where Mr Martin was Forest engineer to the Indian government.

Mrs Martin was a gifted musician and a woman of great charm, energetic, vivacious, sympathetic. She leaves beside her husband and parents, a ten-year old son.

VIOLA KEIR

Viola Keir, Alpha '04, died February 22 at her home in Granville, Ohio.

GRACE WOODBURN TORRENCE

At Monmouth, Illinois, in March occurred the death of Grace Woodburn Torrence, Beta.

ELLEN MARX STEARNS

March 19, Ellen Marx Stearns, Iota '20, died of scarlet fever, leaving an eight-days'-old daughter, Mildred Frederica.

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BETA GAMMA—		
1917 Colorado agricultural college	Clarissa Laurent.....	504 Remington st. Ft. Collins, Colo.
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1909 University of Oklahoma....	Jeannette Barnes.....	Theta house, Norman, Okla.
ALPHA PHI—		
1914 Newcomb college.....	Elizabeth Sellers.....	1239 Washington av. New Orleans, La.
BETA ZETA—		
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ALPHA NU— 1909 Montana state university...	Emily R. Maclay.....	333 University av. Missoula, Mont.
ALPHA XI— 1909 Oregon state university....	Jane Campbell.....	1170 13th av. E. Eugene, Ore.
ALPHA SIGMA— 1913 Washington state college....	Mabel Bruihl.....	Kappa Alpha Theta, Pullman, Wash.
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